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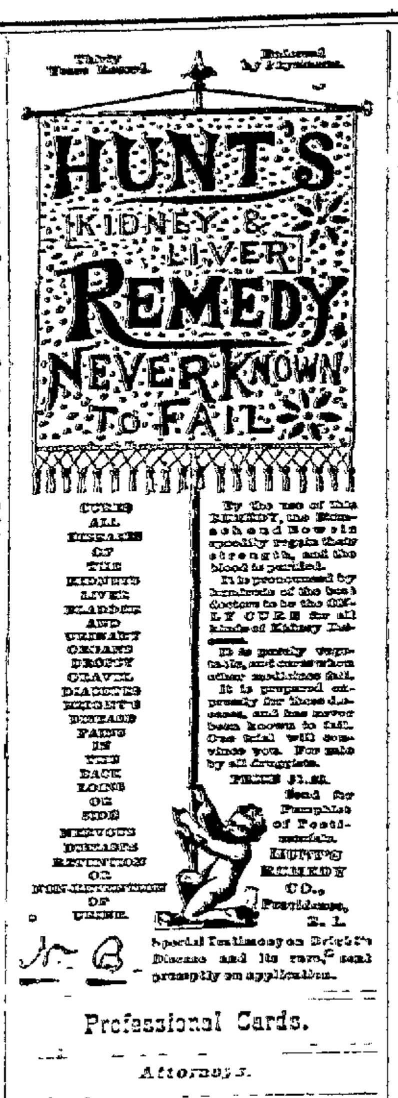

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[Emily Pfeiffer.]

Dear Nature, hide me in thy inmost heart
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My own and others; I would fain lie still,
Bathed in thy silence, of thy life a part
Unconscious and unerring as thou art,
Bear me as mothers bear their babes, until
Of thy pure strength my weakness takes its fill,
And I may dare on some new course to start.
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May lie as babes lie when life is fed
Freed from the madness of its own control,
By Wisdom's self through unknown changes sped;
In sleep unvexed of dream of end or goal,
And, living still, be all as good as dead.

THE MANIPULATION OF CLAY.

Various Materials Which Are Mixed Together—Ready for the Workman.

[English Illustrated Magazine.]

To earthenware the blue clay brings toughness and solidity, flint gives whiteness, kaolin whiteness and porousness, and Cornish stone acts as a sort of flux binding all together. These materials being weighed and measured and placed together with a large quantity of water in huge vats fitted with an agitator called a "blunger," by which they are thoroughly stirred up and mixed together. As my courteous guide raises the lid of one of these "blunging" machines, I discern, as it were, the interior of a vast churn filled with a strong white sea, as if the cliffs had got mixed with the tide in the manner depicted by some painters of seascapes.

This beautifully white fluid runs off when its parts are judged to be sufficiently mixed, into troughs, and is strained through sieves of lawn, varying in fineness from twenty two to thirty two threads to the inch. It is next tested by weight, a certain measure being required to weigh a certain number of ounces. The slip now reposes for a while in quaint receptacles shaped like the Noah's ark given to children. To get rid of the superfluous dampness of the compound "slip" it is forced by means of pumps into bags of strong cloth. It is then pressed, and sometimes cut up and pressed again, being then ready for the thrower. This is hardly the place in which to descant upon the potter's wheel as used by the Egyptians. Suffice it to note that the main distinction between the modern and the ancient potter is that the latter turned his wheel with his foot while his descendant is supplied with motive power by steam.

When this sort of sausage machine just described has done its work and the slip has been pressed the material is of the consistence of stiff dough. In this condition it comes into the hands of the potter, but not directly. Before it reaches him it is weighed out in lumps and handed to him by the girl who acts as his assistant. When the lump of clay is finally handed to the potter he deals with it in a wonderful manner. Placed on the horizontal wheel revolving before him the clay is made to perform the most extraordinary evolution. It spreads out, fashioning a hollow center, and grows like a mushroom under his skillful hand. It becomes anything he likes. It may be a bowl, a cup, or take any other shape. As the clay revolves rapidly the workman has only to change the position of his hands to produce any shape he may wish.

A Quaint Old English Ceremony.

[London Tit Bits.]

At Chingford, in Epping Forest, there was some hundred years ago an estate called Brindwoods, which had originally belonged to the rector of the parish and had been given to another person on condition that he and his successors did homage to the rector. Every time the property changed owners the new proprietor, with his wife, man servant, and maid servant, each riding on horse back, had to go to the rectory.

The master took a horn with him and carried a hawk on his fist while the man servant had a greyhound, to the use of both of which the rector was entitled all that day if he desired to go hawking. On arrival at the parsonage the gentleman blew three blasts on his horn to let the rector know of his of his arrival. The rector then gave him a chicken for the hawk, a peck of oats for the horse, and a loaf for the greyhound. All then dined together, and when the master started home he again blew three blasts on his horn. This quaint ceremony has, however, long been in disuse.

How to Build a Monument.

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A Grant memorial has been started at Mount Mansfield, Vt., without money, without authority, without design, without premeditation, without care, oversight or responsibility on anybody's part, and yet bidding fair to become an important and interesting monument. It is already so far advanced as to be a noticeable feature of the local scenery, and will attain imposing proportions long before actual work on any other memorial is begun, but will not be finished for generations yet to come, if it is ever finished at all. This structure is simply a cairn of stones, begun almost by accident, and contributed to by the summer visitors.

The unparented suggestion that each newcomer should add a stone to the growing pile has been so widely adopted that of late parties have been formed in distant localities to make excursions to Mount Mansfield for the purpose of laying tributes on the cairn. Some rare and curious stones have been contributed, and many bearing inscriptions are daily brought in.

The Natural Bridge of Virginia.

[Cor. Philadelphia Times.]

The natural bridge is one of those few things that neither words nor painting can adequately describe. It is a real bridge of nature's own architecture and fashioning, and fulfils the rarely united qualities of massiveness, ruggedness and boldness, and beauty, symmetry and grace. It is composed of very dark blue limestone rock that in places, and especially in moist or wet weather, is black, and is 215 feet in height from the bed to the stream that flows below it to the surface of the arch.

In walking or driving along the road that leads over the bridge it would not be noticed. Just as the bridge is approached the road begins to ascend and from the bridge it descends, but the formation is so curious and the growth of trees so thick that it is not possible to look over the bridge or to see what there is below. Aside from the wonder and mystery attached to the processes of nature that have worked this marvel the principal interest of the bridge lies in the beauty of the arch. There are no two points of view in which the bridge looks alike and it is a curious study to compare the hundreds of photographs of it and see how very different they are. The best view of the bridge is afforded in the deep gorge below it, where runs the stream which it spans, which is known as Arbor Vitæ creek, receiving its name from the trees that are so numerous.

There is not the slightest crack in the bridge anywhere and it is as perfect a work of art in stone as nature ever executed. The stone, which is the same as the Isle la Motte marble from Lake Champlain abounds in the vicinity and most of the walks beyond the bridge and above the stream are cut out of the solid black rock. The thickness of the arch is fifty five feet and its average width at the top is eighty feet. There is always water flowing under the bridge, sometimes more than others, and the passage is usually over stones or a rocky ledge. The mostly accepted theory of the arch is that it was worn away gradually out of the limestone, just as the numerous caves in the region were formed.

DRAINSVILLE.

A NARRATIVE OF THAT BATTLE FROM THE PEN OF A PARTICIPANT—NUMBER OF FORCES INVOLVED—PEN PICTURES OF THE COMMANDING OFFICERS.

BY A. B. SHARPE.

Philadelphia Weekly Times.

I noticed an article by H. T. Owen in *The Weekly Times* of the 31st of October, headed, "Stuart in 1861." It was written in a clear style, in a good spirit and is meant to be perfectly fair, but it lacks, as its author admits, a full knowledge of the facts, as he was not in the action and had not access to official reports and papers. I was impressed with one of the first sentences in it, viz: "Some of the war histories are completely silent in regard to this battle, others barely mention the fight as a small affair." This is true, and yet there were more men killed, wounded and disabled there than in both the battles of Palo Alto and Resaca De La Palma, which have passed into history as important engagements, and aided largely in making the victorious General (therefore a comparatively unknown man) a successful candidate for the presidency. There is another feature of this engagement which one would think should have impressed itself on the memories of men who reflect on the subject of the war of the rebellion in the order of its incident. This was the first time that the men of the army of the Potomac met those of the army of Northern Virginia in an open field on equal terms and were completely victorious.

The first battle of Bull Run was yet fresh in the minds of men, and with it was associated the recollection of gay equipages, holy ministers, grave senators and patriotic congressmen, who had gone out to see the rebellion crushed by one fell swoop, tumbling over each other and hurrying back crazy with fear to Washington, and mingled with them soldiers in fancy uniforms and hartless artillerymen, on horses they had cut from the traces that were to drag their guns in the face of the foe. After it came Ball's Bluff, where "somebody blundered," but there is no proof that it was the accomplished soldier that had done such praiseworthy service when he found himself alone in Washington with his company of regulars at the first outbreak of the rebellion, and after the Ball's Bluff disaster was thrust into Fort Lafayette, without any written order from the cruel relentless war secretary, and kept there for six months, without an effort on the part of the commanding general to afford him a trial. The swollen bodies of the drowned, floating down the Potomac under chain bridge, were the only mementos of this engagement the soldiers of Ord had when they started for Drainsville on the morning of the 20th of December, 1861.

M'CALL'S ORDER TO ADVANCE.

The village had witnessed a cavalry encounter on the 20th of the preceding month, in which none were killed and but a few wounded, and from that date to the 20th of December it and the immediate neighborhood had been considered debatable ground. On the 19th of December General McCall, who was in command of the division afterwards so well and favorably known as the Pennsylvania Reserves, gave a letter of introduction to General Ord, commanding the third brigade of his division, to move his brigade at 6 a. m. the next morning on the Leesburg pike in the direction of the first rifles (Bucktails), Lieutenant Colonel Kane, and Captain Easton's battery would be on the pike and report to him for orders. He stated further that the object of the expedition was two-fold—first to drive back the enemy's pickets that had recently advanced within four or five miles of our lines and carried off two good Union men and threatened others, and secondly, procure a supply of forage. It had been reported to him that day that there was a force of about 100 cavalry men between Drainsville and the river, and the instructions went on to suggest how they might be captured, but enjoined on Ord not to make the movement unless he arrived at Dickey's (a point on the cross roads within about two miles of Drainsville) in time to make the movement and leave the ground before nightfall.

The next morning at 6 a. m. General Ord, with his brigade, consisting of sixth, ninth, tenth and twelfth regiments, with the regiment of Lieutenant Colonel Kane, Easton's battery and five companies of cavalry under Lieutenant Colonel Higgins, started on the expedition. On the way he learned from a guide that the pickets near the river had left and that there was a respectable picket of cavalry in Drainsville, a full brigade but without artillery at Herndon's Station, 500 infantry and cavalry at Hunter's Mill (points on his left, between Drainsville and Centreville), and 900 infantry and cavalry between Drainsville and the Potomac. This information he transmitted to General McCall. After reaching Dickey's he sent three companies of the tenth regiment and twenty cavalry with the foraging party to Gunnel's, between the pike and the river (Gunnel's farm is near to Dickey's mentioned above,) and with the rest of his command proceeded to Drainsville. Colonel McCalmont of the tenth regiment, from which the foraging party had been selected, hearing that there was a large force of the enemy on our left, remained with the companies of his regiment where danger threatened, but put the force with the foragers under Lieutenant Colonel Kirk, of his regiment. In this way the portion of his regiment that remained with the command and the regiments of Lieutenant Colonel Penrose, the sixth, and the twelfth regiments, under Colonel Taggart, the two latter marching in his rear, were detained a little while on the road, and Ord entered Drainsville with only his artillery and cavalry and a small advance guard, the regiments of Lieutenant Colonel Kane and Colonel Jackson flanking his column on the right and left of the road.

My recollection is that there was a little church on a knoll at the extreme end (the west end) of the village, opposite the one we entered, and that Ord rode rapidly to the top of the knoll. After he had looked over the ground a few moments he asked me for my field-glass and soon turned it south or a little west of south. In that direction I could see with the naked eye dust and objects moving, but could not tell what the latter were nor their number. I had hardly fixed my gaze steadily on the objects in the direction mentioned when he told me to go out for Jackson's regiment, the one on the left of our column (the south) entering Drainsville, and bring it in, and I had just done this and got up to him when he ordered Captain Easton, who was standing near him, with his guns near by, to load with shell. He pronounced shell broadly, as if it was written shall. I can see and hear him now turning and saying to quiet, noble Easton, in a loud tone: "Load with shall."

In the meantime the regiments of Colonels McCalmont, Penrose and Taggart had come up (the last named halted at the east end of Drainsville). McCalmont had but four companies of his regiment. There had gone with the foraging party under Lieutenant Colonel Kirk, two had been left on outer picket near camp and another that had acted as skirmishers to the foraging party remained with it. The other two regiments were entire. The movements of the enemy that General Ord had been watching were such that he concluded that an engagement was imminent. He had learned that their approach was on the south side of the Leesburg pike, with artillery and infantry, and that our pickets on that side had been driven in and two of them wounded, and concluded that they would attack on both sides of the pike as we returned eastward. He, therefore, changed front facing directly eastward, and our left now became the right and the right our left. Jackson's regiment, which thus became our right, was ordered to flank the road on the right, left in front, and if the enemy showed himself on that side to bring his regiment forward into line, and McCalmont's, on the left, in the same order, Kane to cover road and be supported by Penrose and Taggart, the cavalry to watch any threatened attack from the rear.

POSITIONS OF THE TROOPS.

Before this disposition was completed a shell, the first I had ever heard, came from the south, whizzing and hissing up the road that intersects at right angles the Leesburg pike at the east end of Drainsville. This is the direct road from Centreville to Drainsville and into it two other roads on the right and left of it converge and all three pass through two wooded tracts of land separated by a clearing, but they all unite in the woods nearest to Drainsville, and in this way the near approach of the enemy and their numbers were concealed before the firing began. Ord at once concluded that the attack would be made from the south only and not from the south and east, and ordered Easton to place his guns on a rise close to the Leesburg pike, facing the guns of the enemy, which appeared to be about five hundred yards south and in the Centreville road.

Jackson, on the right, as soon as the firing began, marched his regiment into the woods, formed in line of battle and advanced until he saw and heard the movements of troops in his front. Kane did not stop at the road, but having already seen from the high ground north of the pike men in motion south and east of Drainsville, where there was no reason to expect the presence of our force, and soon after a confederate flag displayed, went at the double quick to the rise south of the pike and had his men in line of battle on both sides of the brick house which stands (or stood then) on this rise before the enemy got there, and just about the time their artillery opened. McCalmont moved to the left of our battery, and in doing so passed in the rear of it just as it was unlimbering under a direct fire of the enemy. He took a position as ordered under cover in a growth of cedars on the left of, and near the battery. Lieut. Colonel Penrose and about four companies of the Sixth regiment followed McCalmont's, and the remainder of it halted just west of the battery, and subsequently formed on the right of Kane's and left of Jackson's regiments; Taggart being already on the left remained there. The cavalry were placed in the woods in rear of McCalmont's where they were under shelter and out of the sight of the enemy.

EASTON'S BATTERY BEGINS TO PLAY.

Easton, as soon as ordered, and before the infantry had got into the position assigned them, dashed forward with his guns in the direction Ord had indicated, but passed the point selected and I was sent to bring him back to Ord, who stopped at the spot he intended to have him place the guns. Returning, one of his pieces was capsized, but quickly righted, and Easton was very soon by the side of Ord, with his guns in battery. The artillery of the enemy had now been firing some time and one of the men of the companies of the Sixth regiment that followed the Tenth was killed in crossing the line of their fire; but although their guns were served rapidly their aim was not well directed, and I know of no other casualty from this source. Ord examined with the glass for a short while the position of the enemy's guns and then indicated the spot for each of our guns—there were three of them—and gave the gunners the distance and elevation. I remember that when our first gun was fired he was watching their guns and when our shell hit he said: "That fell just in front of one of their guns; keep at that." The other guns were ranged to enfilade the road, and served like the first.

I don't believe we had been firing over ten minutes until the superiority of our artillery was perceptible, and I remember the volume of smoke incident to the explosion of one of their caissons or an ammunition wagon by a shell from one of our guns, and that their fire slackened perceptibly then, and ceased some time before their infantry gave way. The annals of the war furnish no more accurate or effective service of artillery, considering the number of guns and the time they were employed. Easton so raked the road that Stewart's infantry, that was equally divided by it, could not pass over it until his guns were dismounted or silenced. He was a farmer from Franklin county, without any experience in field service before this day. A quiet, unassuming man, but a born soldier, and his subsequent career was akin to that at Drainsville on up until June 27, 1862, at Gaines' Mill, where, surrounded by the enemy, and called on to surrender, replied: "No, we never surrender!" and being fired on, fell dead by the side of his guns.

CONTEMPORARY MOVEMENTS OF THE INFANTRY.

In regard to the infantry it should be noted that our entire front consisted of but the Kane rifles, about six companies of the Sixth and the Ninth regiment entire. The Kane rifles occupied the whole front east of the Centreville road, the six companies of the Sixth and Ninth regiments the balance of the front, that is, the portion west of the road, the whole line facing south, the Ninth being our right, the Sixth our centre and the Kane rifles our left regiment in line. Now, it appears by the account of H. T. Owen that Staurt was apprised of Ord's approach, and having completed his arrangements when the latter entered Drainsville, "opened fire straight down the road upon the federals in sight and pushed forward the Eleventh Virginia on the right of the road and the Sixth South Carolina on the left," and after our guns responded "the continual incessant fire of the artillery duel made a line of fire so hot along the road while it lasted that all communications across it was cut off, and the troops upon one side had no information or knowledge of what was going on upon the opposite side of the road," that the Eleventh Virginia first drove the Federals back, but reinforcements coming up they were in turn pushed back, and Stuart then pushed forward the Tenth Alabama to support the Eleventh Virginia, and it soon became hotly engaged and suffered terribly. My recollection is that there was not a single shot fired by any of our infantry except the Kane Rifles on the east side of the Centreville road (our left) until the enemy broke, and that the troops on our side that were driven back were the skirmishers under Captain Niles of that regiment, that fell back upon the body of the regiment when attacked by the Eleventh Virginia, that our line on either side of the brick house never was broken, and that this regiment alone withstood the attack of the Eleventh Virginia and tenth Alabama, and inflicted all the loss they sustained from our infantry up to the moment they fell back.

West of the Centreville road, that is on our right, we had about six companies of the Sixth and the entire Ninth Regiment. Opposed to them were the Sixth South Carolina and First Kentucky Regiments. The account referred to says "the Sixth South Carolina deployed on the left of the road, advancing through a wilderness of scrubby undergrowth, so thick that it was impossible to see a man twenty feet, and which extended half way down the village and far in advance of the right wing, on the opposite side of the road. However, the Sixth South Carolina, pushing its way through this thick underbrush, where it was impossible to keep up any regular alignment, appeared upon the edge of the open field and began a fierce battle with the Federals on that side of the road." This accords pretty closely with the official report of Colonel Jackson, of our Ninth Regiment, who met the Sixth South Carolinia. He had been ordered in the direction and moved to the point where he encountered this regiment, but it was in the woods some distance, "not upon the edge of the open field." Jackson, in his report, says: "In accordance with your order * * * I marched my regiment into the wood or copse, formed in line of battle and advanced as directed with difficulty, restraining the men from 'double-quick.' As there was nothing to indicate the position of friend or foe, I advanced until we saw and heard the movement of troops in advance of the right of our line. I halted and formed my right within sixty or seventy spaces of the left of the troops referred to, my men showing a great anxiety to fire. At that time an officer of my regiment reported that the troops opposite were 'Bucktails.' Determined to avoid falling into the fatal error of killing our own men, I at once used all my energy to prevent firing, nor did we fire until we had received a volley from the enemy, as they proved to be."

THE LINES OF BOTH ARMIES.

I have a distinct recollection that one of the officers of this regiment, within a day or two after the engagement, told me that the portion of the enemy's line in his immediate front was within twenty paces of our line; that the men were within speaking distance; that the impression ran along our line that they were the 'Bucktails;' that some one on our side called out: "Are you Bucktails?" and was answered from theirs "Yes;" that their order to fire given almost instantly after this, and that they got the first fire on our line in this way; but it was instantly returned and with effect. This was one of the finest regiments of McCall's division. Homogenity was one of its characteristics. Eight of the companies were from Allegheny county, one from Beaver, an adjoining county, and one from Crawford. Its colonel afterwards became a brigadier general and commanded this brigade until he fell at Fredericksburg on the 13th of Dec., 1862. He and the Lieut-Colonel had been in service during the war with Mexico, and the major was a general of a division of the state militia when the rebellion began, and they were all on the field on this day. The men were better drilled than most of the other regiments when ordered from camp to the field. Company A, I remember, had Sharp's rifles, their own private property. It was particularly fine. The rank and file were all young men that had received every advantage that education and affluence afford. This regiment held its ground from the time it received the first fire of the enemy until it drove them from the field.

THE SIXTH SOUTH CAROLINA.

It was to our advantage that the Sixth South Carolina did not keep close to the side of the road in their advance, for if it had the chances are that it would have struck the left of Jackson's regiment before the companies of the sixth regiment could have got into line, owing to the delay incident to our change of front on the eve of the engagement, or rather after it had actually begun. Lieutenant Colonel Penrose, in command of the sixth regiment, had been in the rear of McCalmont in the march to Drainsville. In the hurry of making change of front the order to follow the Kane Rifles in the road may not have reached him, or if it did when he got there he found that Kane had passed over the road and gone to an otherposition, where we have already mentioned him, and therefore followed with a portion of his regiment in the wake of McCalmont, who was at that moment to the left of the battery. The rest of it halted or was halted by some one in the road on the right and just west of the battery, and Ent, the senior Captain (who subsequently became its Major, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel and a Brigadier-General), took command of it moved forward and went into line on the right of Kane and on the left of Jackson; but my recollection is that Jackson had engaged the enemy a short time before he got into position. Be this as it may, he got there as quick as he could. Sooner, perhaps, than the First Kentucky came to the support of the Sixth South Carolina, and his companies and Jackson's regiment whipped their opponents on a field selected by themselves in a fair, square, open, stand up fight.

I remember well Ent's appearance and demeanor in the fight. He was a small and youthful-looking man. As he had command of the portion of the regiment engaged it occurred to him that he should be mounted, and in the midst of the fight he turned to the Geheral, who at that moment was close by him, and asked for a horse. Ord replied in a loud tone "You are earning the position of a field officer now. Keep on as you are." The engagement proper did not last over an hour. The enemy ceased firing on both sides of the road near about the same time; perhaps it lasted a little longer on our right than on our left. I am sure it commenced sooner on our left, and we fired longest on our right, and this accords with the account by Mr Owen. After the enemy's firing ceased General Ord ordered an advance of the whole line, which was made; the Kane Rifles and Colonel Taggart on the left, supported by Colonel McCalmont; the Sixth Regiment entire, under Lieutenant-Colonel Penrose, in the centre, and the Ninth, Colonel Jackson's, on the right. The whole line was advanced to and a short distance beyond the place where the enemy's battery had been placed, and a portion of the command pursued a half mile further, but did not reach the enemy, who had retreated rapidly. The firing began at half-past two o'clock and by this time it was getting towards evening, and as Gen. McCall had ordered that the troops should return before nightfall, and no part of Ord's command should remain outside our lines over night, he ceased looking after the enemy and gave orders to return.

A sadder sight than I had ever witnessed was presented when we came up to the spot where their guns had stood. The headless bodies of three men lying close to the fragments of a caisson, the mangled remains of others and of horses torn to death by the shells, did not affect me near so much as the sight of a horse that had three of his legs broken and was trying to raise himself with one foreleg that was left. He neighed and looked piteously at us as we rode up. I called the general's attention to it and he ordered it to be shot and put out of misery. It was nearly dark when the column started back. Time had been consumed in collecting our killed and wounded—altogether sixty seven. We had no ambulances, and our killed and wounded and such of the wounded prisoners as could be moved were brought to camp on stretchers. The foragers, with the wagons loaded, returned with us. The day was beautiful and the roads in excellent order, but it was late when we got to Camp Pierpont (Langley, Va.,) and the men were tired, for it was a march of twenty four miles.

General McCall, in his report of the 20th of January, 1862, states that a greater number of the enemy were slain in front of Colonel Jackson's regiment, where he had his encounter with the First Kentucky regiment, than in any other part of the field; but this I think is a mistake. He did not arrive on the field until the engagement was advanced. We did not know the order in which the troops of General Stuart came on the field, and we never saw one-fourth of their dead, nor could we estimate with any degree of accuracy the number of their wounded, and we never can know, either, for it now appears that no official report of their losses in the action was ever made by Stuart. On our left (Kane's front) it appears by the account of H. T. Owen that the colonel of the Tenth Alabama was wounded and the lieutenant-colonel killed, and of the ten captains seven were killed and three were wounded. Anybody who knows the proportion of men to officers that suffer as a general rule, in a battle, can from these data alone gather a loss more than double that reported at the time of the engagement of all the troops engaged in all parts of the field. I infer from Mr. Owen's account and from the losses on our front and the strength of the regiments on our side in that line that the enemy was kept busy along the whole front, and our losses verify this statement, for Kane lost three killed and twenty-six wounded; out of the six companies of the Sixth regiment two were killed and thirteen wounded, and Jackson's (the Ninth) regiment lost two killed and twenty wounded.

POSITION OF THE DISENGAGED FORCES.

That portion of the brigade not engaged before the advance was ordered was at the place assigned it by the general in command, awaiting orders to advance, or check a flank movement of the enemy, or support the line if called on to do so and when the order came to advance all obeyed promptly.

It was at this time that one of Col. Taggart's men was wounded. I should here mention that the brigade of General Reynolds came up just after the engagement was over. I was by the side of Ord when Reynolds came up.

The first words he uttered were: "Ord, this is the second time I have been sent to your support and got up just after you had done the work, and am glad of it, for you will get all the credit, and you deserve it." I asked him on the way to camp what Reynolds meant, and he said the former referred to a fight with the Indians years before. Here, let me say, that Mr. Owen should not feel indignant because we did not bury the dead and care for more of the wounded. We had, as I have already said, our own dead and wounded and such of their wounded as we could take along carried to camp on stretchers; night and orders forbade stay, and the field of conflict four or five miles outside of our lines. No sentiment of cruelty of inhumanity entered the mind of any one on either side on that field. One of our men who had been wounded on the skirmish line and had fallen within the bounds of their advance told me that two or three of their men dropped out and helped him to a stump or to the butt of a tree, talked sympathizingly to him and deplored the horrors of war; and I met on our right as we advanced, three of our men helping towards the village a wounded confederate officer, one on each side of him and the third carrying their pieces, and I could not persuade them that the action was likely to be renewed and that the place of all three was at the front.

The story "repeated in the army around Centreville that the Yankees had in the battle a force of 10,000 or 15,000 men; that they had lost about 300 killed and wounded and that Stuart had thrashed them severely," was, of course, a camp story and he does not give it as anything else. So, too, the blazing rocket that went skimming along just above the horizon * * * supposed to be a signal between the different camps along the Potomac, apprising them of Stuart's advance"—apart from the difficulty of seeing a rocket at that distance in daylight—is a figment from the same source; but he is seriously in error when he says: "It appears that on the same morning General McCall, with a large number of wagons, escorted by three brigades of infantry, a regiment of cavalry and a battery of six guns, started on a foraging expedition into the same section of country selected by Stuart, and placing two brigades under General Reynolds at Difficult run he sent Ord up the road four miles further to Drainsville with a brigade of five regiments; also the Frst regiment of Pennsylvania Rifles and Easton's Battery of six guns." When General McCall gave and Ord proceeded to execute the order hereinbefore mentioned, neither knew that Stuart intended this movement. Not until informed by the guide that there were troops at Hunter's Mill and Herndon Station did he expect to encounter any force than that mentioned in the order. Nor had Ord the number of troops mentioned in the above extract. He had but four entire regiments, viz: the Kane Rifles, the Sixth, Ninth and Twelfth Regiments; and four companies of the Tenth regiment, five companies of cavalry and Easton's Battery at Drainsville, and if Easton's was a six gun battery he had only two sections of it with him, for I am satisfied there were only four guns on the field and but three of them were used in silencing those of the enemy. Of the strength of these regiments I cannot speak with accuracy, except that of the Twelfth, of which Colonel Taggart, in his report says: "The regiment under my command numbered 575 officers and men." The other regiments, I think were stronger, but none of the officers in command that day mentioned their strength. Another circumstance that I well remember convinces me that Ord did not know the force Stuart had until informed by the guide. Sometime after we had passed Difficult creek, and after he had forwarded the communication to Gen. McCall, he wrote a note and told me to ride back until I came to Reynolds and deliver it to him, to keep a sharp lookout, and if anything happened to me to destroy it. I rode back rapidly and found Reynolds at the head of his brigade, between the creek and his camp. After he read it he wrote an answer, first trying to write sitting on his horse, but failing in this he dismounted and wrote it by the roadside. When he gave it to me he asked me whether I did not want an escort, and after I declined this and started he followed me and said: "Tell Ord to be very cautious." I got up to the coloumn and delivered the note and message before we reached Drainsville. I saw nothing of Meade's Brigade, but General McCall had it in readiness to follow Reynolds had the occasion required the presence of either or both on the field.

This is a faithful statement of the facts connected with this early battle of the war, one which has been nearly obliterated from the page of history owing to the great encounters that followed it. It will be of some moment for the survivors to recall it, so near its twenty-fourth anniversary. All that has been written, except the few things dependent on my own recollection, can be verified by the reports of the commanding officers of the regiments, the reports of the captain of the battery, that of the lieutenant colonel of the companies of cavalry, the reports of the surgeons of the regiments, the report of the brigadier general commanding on the field and that of the major general commanding the division published in the proceedings of the Thirty-seventh Congress, second session, Ex. Doc. 69.

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The state encampment of the Pennsylvania department of the G. A. R. will be held in Scranton next w[eek] [illegible] session will be held [illegible] day [illegible]

Gov. Curtin [illegible] on the Banking and Curr[ency] [illegible] without stultifying him[self] [illegible] In Pennsylvania hope that [illegible] the committee altogether.

Judge J. A. Proper of [illegible] has brought suit [illegible] *Forest Press* [illegible] wrong [illegible]

Ex-Mayor [illegible] friend of [illegible] says [illegible] not a candidate for the [illegible] not interesting him [illegible] any one [illegible]

Gladstone [illegible] head of the British [illegible] Queen Victoria [illegible] seem to be [illegible] Whigs and Radicals [illegible] that such a combination will [illegible] either [illegible]

Charles M. Reed of [illegible] on the republican ticket [illegible] closest friends, however [illegible] that he should run for [illegible] should do so and [illegible] deal against [illegible] Pennsylvania against million.

Mrs. Bayard, wife of the Secretary of State, died at her residence in Washington, on Sunday morning [illegible] o'clock [illegible] The immediate cause of her death was congestion of the brain brought on by the shock [illegible] sudden death two weeks ago [illegible] Secretary Bayard has the [illegible] of all the people of the country in his double bereavement.

It is difficult for any careful [illegible] accustomed to [illegible] which [illegible] the mind [illegible] to understand how the [illegible] scandal can pass [illegible] compelling a reconstruction [illegible] net. Mr. Garland the Attorney General and Mr. Lamar the Secretary of the Interior are [illegible] scandal [illegible] and scandal by which [illegible] any president's cabinet [illegible] touched.—N. Y. Sun.

ABOUT SILVER.

We this week publish a letter written to the Emporium [illegible] of congress Hon. W. W. [illegible] which appeared in the [illegible] that paper on the silver question. This letter [illegible] in several of the papers [illegible] but the attempt which [illegible] perpetuate the national [illegible] silver [illegible] during [illegible] and [illegible] holders of this money [illegible] payment of their [illegible] only. They stipulate [illegible] payment in coin, and [illegible] silver coin. The New York [illegible] eastern papers [illegible] this monstrous [illegible] and that the [illegible] based on their [illegible] but read what Mr. [illegible] subject.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

This week in congress [illegible] interesting [illegible] any important legislation [illegible] salient features [illegible] debate [illegible] senate on the admission of [illegible] statehood [illegible] houses and a wrangle [illegible] branch over the detachment of men at the Norfolk navy yard.

The Hendricks obituary [illegible] another orator in the senate [illegible] the new republican senator from W[isconsin] [illegible] Spooner [illegible] slender and insignificant [illegible] angular features [illegible] sallow complexion. But he is [illegible] easy and natural [illegible] marked degree all that [illegible] of the modern orator [illegible] speech [illegible] skillfully [illegible] platitude [illegible] harmonious [illegible] in a [illegible] that charmed the [illegible]

Half a dozen other senators [illegible] tribute to the late vice-president [illegible] several of whom [illegible] personally as it were [illegible] quite entertaining [illegible] funeral orations. Only [illegible] knows pretty much what each senator will say and [illegible] floor of the senate one hears [illegible] though often in bad [illegible] faulty elocution the [illegible] that one has read [illegible] in the papers. But [illegible] out of the usual line [illegible] from the [illegible] improvements or the [illegible] question, to [illegible] senators, powerful [illegible] ready to [illegible] place in this [illegible]

The pan-electric [illegible] to grow. No [illegible] has been made for years which has attracted [illegible] much attention or which [illegible] such [illegible] spread comment. [illegible] difficult to understand how the [tele]phone scandal can pass away without compelling a reconstruction of the cabinet, because Mr. Garland the Attorney General and Mr. Lamar, the secretary of the interior are implicated in it. It is one of the greatest scandals by which any member of any president's cabinet has ever been affected.

Since the president refused the senate's late request for documents bearing upon the official character of certain removed republicans, it is thought that for some time, at least no action will be taken upon his nominations in cases where persons [illegible] of suspended officials. Republican senators concede the right of the president to remove whomsoever he pleases but they hold that Mr. Cleveland in his letter to Dorman B. Eaton and in his inaugural address gave up that right. He stated that public office was a public trust, and that no one should be removed by him except for cause. Republican senators who have had personal friends removed on insufficient grounds could not be expected to vote for the confirmation of their successors.

THE SILVER QUESTION.

Mr. Editor,—I notice among the editorial comments in the *Press* of the 14th the following:

It is said that Secretary Manning contemplates paying the congressmen's salaries in silver dollars. It would be an [illegible] majority of them [illegible] the Secretary's duty to [illegible] the silver into circulation. We would like to see the [illegible] how [illegible] them.

I am free to say that Congressmen [illegible] or less every [illegible] payment of their salary [illegible] coin [illegible] receiving these. I never have yet heard a protest or a complaint nor have I ever heard of a request being made for gold or gold certificates, or greenbacks or National bank currency in their stead. [illegible] affords [illegible] to suggest [illegible] that [illegible] Congressmen [illegible] the inconvenience [illegible] silver [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] by statute [illegible] the wisdom of [illegible] Which the cheaper [illegible] drives out the dear [illegible] existence of counterfeit [illegible] law? It requires [illegible] to repeal the law [illegible] not wanting laws [illegible] have not been operating during [illegible] eight years in our [illegible] half [illegible] more potential to-day than ever.

Hamilton does not enumerate the [illegible] laws to which he refers and [illegible] reason probably that they [illegible] in our behalf is absolutely [illegible] The export of silver [illegible] the import [illegible] the export [illegible] incontrovertible proof [illegible] of the dearer metal [illegible] While there [illegible] many [illegible] in our behalf. I need [illegible] and that, the fact, that *the [illegible] dollar pays and purchases [illegible] as the gold dollar*. Can one drive out the other when their *capacity to do are equal*? Have not the prophets of evil miscalculated, because they ignored more causes than they considered? But it is said that the capacity of silver to buy and pay as much as gold, is *forced*. This, so far as the United States is concerned, is doubtless true, but is it not just as true, that the necessity of that *force* comes *only because* other nations first applied a counter force? However this may be, it still remains a fact, that the buying and paying capacity of gold and silver are the same. Now, is it dishonest and immoral for the nation to impart to its money the mandate of law? It is exercised in behalf of gold. But it is answered that gold needs no law to give it value. That is true to-day, it was not true twelve years ago, it may not be true to-morrow. But should the cheaper metal be abandoned by the law as soon as it declines? Is stability of no consequence? As it now seems to me the hour for abandonment, or perhaps what expresses it better (for I would not under any circumstances abandon silver or gold as money) the hour to change the ratio between the metals—especially when the nation is in debt is when and only when, they *cannot* by force of law be made to perform equal functions. Frequent interference [by] artificial means either to appreciate or depreciate these brother metals by adding thereto or taking therefrom either grains of silver or gold or law must be attended with great derangement of commerce and fluctuation of national securities. Quite as much is it to the interest of the creditor as the debtor that the thing which he has agreed to accept as payment should have with it not only all the intrinsic value he has stipulated to receive but all the *law power* the sovereign can give. If it be true that he is [illegible] away [illegible] from his dollar is it not a clear case of sawing off the limb upon which he stands, between himself and the tree?

With fair play would not silver build up as valuable as gold? One after another the commercial nations have always [illegible] to the detriment of [illegible] demonetized silver and [illegible] point to the great decline of that metal as an evidence of its inability to cope with gold. Heretofore our government without loss to her [illegible] and at great advantage to her [illegible] has stood in the breach [illegible] 1873 [illegible] 1878, and by her legislation [illegible] in spite of her finan[illegible] the ability of the silver [dollar] to pay as much debt and buy as much as gold. Shall we abandon [illegible] of our money now while yet the stars in their courses fight our battles for us? Has Germany grown richer by her demonetization of silver? Are not her poor fleeing from the fatherland [illegible] Look at the statistics of emigration to our shores for the answer. If it [illegible] would it not be [illegible] It is said that France has recently ceased the coinage of silver but was not that after she had coined over three times as much as our present volume? And is it not certain she was wise in her last conclusion. She was frightened into the belief that she would lose her gold. Were her fears well grounded? [illegible] eight hundred million of the yellow metal remains with her to-day and is she not the most prosperous nation in Europe?

I write this letter with the view of [illegible] discussion. Too little discussion [illegible] is likely to bring a [illegible] discussion after the vote. I have no pet theories of my [illegible] ask questions, answering them when I can and when I cannot [illegible] whenever I may find it my duty [illegible] to do my whole duty to the [illegible] debtor and creditor [illegible] confident belief always that what is best for one is best for both in the long run. The present law does not suit me for it appears to discriminate in behalf of silver but is it not more in the seeming than in fact. True the government buys silver but not for the venders benefit so much as for herself. She makes the profit there is between the price of bullion and the dollar she coins, and in so doing she does what her contract [illegible] to do. I do not think this the correct plan but can we afford to abandon it until a better one is offered that preserves to us our silver money? [illegible] is it not better that silver should have an open field with gold. They have traveled a long journey together. If divided can either carry the world's commerce alone?

Very Truly Yours,
W. W. Brown

THE VANDERBILT BOYS

How They Were Taught to Shift for Themselves—Lessons Well Taught

New York Cor. Cin[cinnati] Commercial Gazette: [illegible] is now 30 and [illegible] $200,000,000 [illegible] twelve years [illegible] 76. It [illegible]

[illegible] exceptional [illegible]

William H. was [illegible] half as hard and [illegible] when he was 14 [illegible] well that it was [illegible] to get him [illegible] his father had told him, that [illegible] themselves.

[illegible] a little clerkship in the [illegible] & Leather Bank when he was 16 [illegible] years [illegible] early [illegible] worked as late and as hard [illegible] allowed himself no extra holidays [illegible] neither his father nor his grandfather [illegible] anything to make his life easy. During the [illegible] years his Uncle Tor[illegible] Europe for the Commodore, [illegible] wanted the youngster to go with him and the grandfather relented and consented. The boy was delighted at [illegible] but the question of salary was involved. He presented the matter to the president. "You can go," said that amiable functionary, "but of course you will lose your salary, $150." That settled it. The youth turned his back on the temptation and declined to go.

[illegible] he was made a clerk at the "bottom of the ladder" in the Hudson River Railroad office, and his younger brother William K. was put at work there the next year. For more than 18 years now they have "bowed down to it" in that great concern, and they are far better trained than their father ever was in all the details of the business.

They are not fast men. They own no yachts. They care nothing for clubs. They are constant up to the present time, [illegible]. They love their children, and each family, filing into church, looks like a pair of gently sloping stairs. They care little for fast horses. They do not swear. One of them is superintendent of a Sunday school, and both are deeply involved in various charities of the city.

Cornelius is first vice-president and head of finance, William K. is second vice-president and master of transportation. Each knows his business thoroughly. The most striking thing about each of them is that they work as hard as if hired by the job—which they are, by the way—and that they are perfectly democratic and accessible to anybody who has business with them. On the whole, the present sons of the House of Vanderbilt are about the most quiet, unassuming, well-behaved, well-trained, and level-headed of the New York millionaires of the present day.

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THE HON. A. G. OLMSTED, PRESIDENT Judge, and the Hons. HENRY HAMLIN and P. M. TULLY, Associate Judges of the court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphan's and Court of Common Pleas for the county of McKean, have issued their precept, bearing date Friday, Oct. 16, 1885, and to me directed for holding a Court of Common Pleas, at the borough of Smethport, on Monday the 22d day of Feb. 1886, and to continue one week.

Notice is therefore hereby given to Coroners, Justices of the Peace and Constables, within the county that they be then and there in their proper person at 1 o'clock p. m. of said day with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations and other remembrances, to do those things which their offices appertain to be done. And those who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of said county of McKean are to be then and there to prosecute against them as well as just.

Dated at Smethport February 2, 1886, and in the 110th year of the Independence of the United States of America.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.

List of Petit Jurors.

Drawn for Court of Oyer and Terminer to be held the Fourth Monday of Feb. 1886.

Andrews, Seth—Liberty
Ashton, Robert—Otto, Summit
Armor, W. C.—Bradford city
Armstrong, T. W.—[illegible]
Anderson, Ellis—Keating
Booth, G. B.—Ceres
Burdick, N. A.—[illegible]
Brimlage, O. L.—Liberty
Booth, Byron—Port Allegany
Bush, Miles—Smethport
Bailey, F. W.—Bradford city
Bishop, C. W.—Liberty
Fuller, Walter—Annin
Coffin, S. C.—Bradford city
Catherler, W. B.—Bradford city
Crane, Allen—Otto, Rixford
Clark, John C.—Kendall
Campbell, Wm.—Wetmore
Dunbar, Robert—Liberty
Davis, J. T.—Foster
Day, H. R.—Foster, Red Rock
Dix, [illegible]—Keating
Easterbrook, D. A.—Smethport
Eaton, J. G.—Smethport
Ehll, Wm.—Hamlin
[illegible], F.—Bradford city
Campbell, J.—Liberty
[illegible], C. N.—Otto, Summit
Hathaway, Patrick—Ceres
[illegible], G. A.—Keating
Hunter, Joseph—Liberty
Hawkins, Burle—Otto
[illegible], Wm.—Otto
Hopwell, W. A.—Eldred boro
Lewis, [illegible]—Kendall
[illegible]—Wetmore
[illegible], Patrick—Otto, Rixford
[illegible], James—Otto, Oil Valley
[illegible], C. A.—Kendall
[illegible]—Hamlin
O'Dell, John—Duke Centre
[illegible], A.—Hamlin
Potter, J. R.—Bradford city
Randall, Frank—Duke Centre
Randall, Daniel—Hamlin
[illegible], Wm.—Smethport
Sutherland, [illegible]—Eldred
Smiley, [illegible]—Bradford city
Taylor, A. W.—Sergeant
Washbaugh, D. F.—Foster, Sawyer City

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.
DAVALUT MARTIN } Jury Coms.
M. N. SHELDON
Attest: J. R. SHOEMAKER, Clerk.
Smethport, Pa., Feb. 21, 1886.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY VIRTUE OF SUNDRY WRITS OF FIERI Facias, Levari Facias and Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, Pa., and to me directed I will expose to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Smethport, Pa., on

MONDAY, FEB. 22, 1886,

at 1 o'clock p. m. the following several pieces of property:

The following described [illegible] situate in the city of Bradford, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] taken in execution and will be sold as the property of [illegible] Newell at suit of Commonwealth of Pennsylvania use of the County of McKean.

T. A. Morrison, Attorney.

The following piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Liberty, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a hemlock, the south east corner [illegible] Keating & [illegible] north [illegible] perches [illegible] John [illegible] containing [illegible] acres [illegible] improved with about [illegible] acres [illegible] with [illegible] four springs of water thereon.

ALSO

[illegible]

Sherrett & [illegible], Attorneys.

3

All that piece or parcel of land [illegible] township of [illegible] county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] one frame dwelling house, [illegible] store buildings and usual out buildings thereon.

Seized, taken in execution, and will be sold as the property of J. C. Larrett at the suit of M. A. [illegible]

Hamlin & Forrest, Attorneys.

4

The following described real estate, to-wit: situate in the township of Bradford, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post in the south line of the Buffalo and Bradford railroad; thence east eight and eight-tenths rods; thence south fifty [illegible] rods, more or less to a post; thence south fifty eight degrees west six and eight-tenths rods, more or less to a post; thence north eighty three degrees west [illegible] and seven-tenths rods, more or less, to a post; thence north seventy four degrees west [illegible] rods more or less, to a post in the eastern limit of the railroad; thence [illegible] rods more or less to the place of beginning. Containing [illegible] of an acre, more or less. [illegible] being the same [illegible] conveyed by J. E. Blair and wife to Christian [illegible] by deed dated [illegible] 10, 1873, and by [illegible] Tibbitts and George Tibbitts her husband conveyed to John S. Wilson by deed dated July 7, 1881, and recorded Dec. 5, 1881 in deed book [illegible] Together with one (1) oil well, one (1) boiler, one (1) engine, one (1) carpenter rig, one (1) tank, all feet casing, all feet tubing, all feet sucker rods, belts, bull ropes, fittings, connections, gas and steam pipes, and all buildings and appurtenances thereon situated and thereunto belonging.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of J. S. Wilson at suit of C. S. Whiting use of A. E. Parker.

E. L. Tait, Attorney.

5

The following described piece or parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in the township of Eldred, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the south-east corner of land occupied by Monroe Childs and in west line of the Buffalo & McKean Railroad Co.'s land in the village of Larrabee; thence west along said Childs south line ten rods to a corner; thence south four rods to a corner; thence east ten rods to west line of said railroad company's land; thence north four rods to place of beginning. Containing one-fourth of an acre, strict measure. Improved, with one frame dwelling house, one and one-half story high, one barn and necessary outbuildings.

ALSO

All that certain piece or parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in the township of Eldred, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the south-east corner of a lot of land heretofore contracted to said Cyrus W. Cartwright by D. C. Young and Ada M. Young his wife, and in west line of the Buffalo and McKean railroad company's lands in the village of Larrabee; thence west ten rods to a post corner; thence south sixteen and one-half degrees, west four rods to a corner; thence east ten rods to said railroad company's west line; thence north along said railroad line four rods to the place of beginning. Containing one-fourth of an acre of land, improved.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of C. W. Cartwright, at the suit of D. C. Young, Ada M. Young, his wife, for use of Ada M. Young.

Eckles & Curtis, Attorneys.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.
Sheriff's office, Smethport, Pa., Feb. 2, 1886.

LEGAL.

List of Grand Jurors

Drawn for Court of Quarter Sessions of McKean County, to be held the Fourth Monday of February, 1886.

Baylan, Fred—Keating.
Bliss, G. W.—Hamilton.
Bulger, Peter—Foster, Derrick.
Bristol, Omit—Foster, Gilmore.
Brennan, W. H.—Otto, Rixford.
Bishop, L. W.—Bradford city.
Chandler, S. W.—Port Allegany.
Corwin, W. B.—Foster, Corwin Center
Dennis, [illegible]—Otto
[illegible], [illegible]—Liberty
Evans, [illegible]—Wetmore
Folgett, A. J.—Bradford city
Hiller, A.—Bradford city
Morrison, A. J.—Hamilton.
Nichols, [illegible]—Annin
Pattison, D. T.—Hamlin
Pennell, F. W.—Otto, Oil Valley
Pelton, [illegible] G.—Keating
Stokes, A. F.—Keating
Strang, Sylvanus—Liberty
Stickleson, H. [illegible]—Bradford city
Stone, Clifton—Bradford city
Tull, F. [illegible]—Ceres
Whiting, L.—Bradford city

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.
DAVALUT MARTIN } Jury Com'rs.
M. N. SHELDON
Attest: Jno. R. Shoemaker, Clerk.
Smethport, Pa., Feb. 21, 1886.

License Applications.

Petitions and applications for licenses for hotels, eating houses, wholesale and retail liquor dealers, and others, to sell [illegible] goods and bottlers, at the February term of the quarter sessions of the peace, in and for McKean county, Pa. (to be held February 22, 1886 at Smethport boro.)

HOTEL LICENSES.

Annin

J. H. Mookan and T. A. Stancliff, B[illegible] House, Lafayette township.
John Carey, Brooklyn House, Lafayette township.

Athen

J. M. Irvin, Bingham House, Railroad street, Keating township.

Bradford City, 1st Ward.

C. C. R[illegible], Pierce Hotel, Nos. 87 and 101 Main street.
W. C. McBride, Opolo House, No. 9 Main st.
Thomas [illegible], [illegible] Hotel, No. 12 north Mechanic street.
James Riley, [illegible] House, No. 8 Davis street.
N. Bailey, Reese House, No. 34 Main street.
Simon Ullman, Washington House, No. 4, Webster street.
Thomas Goodwin, Hotel Brunswick, No. 23 Main street.
J. D. Burt, Henderson House, corner Webster and Corydon streets.
Michael Egan, [illegible] H. Douglass, Hotel Anglin, No. 5 Main street.
J. R. Dawson, Opera Hotel, No. 10 Chambers street.
J. W. Mulnix, Bay State Hotel, No. 72 Main street.
John Duffy, Duffy's [illegible] No. 10 Davis st.
Louis Marck, [illegible] House, No. 12 Main st.
E. Sutherland, Black Bear Hotel, No. 8 Pine street.
M. B. Pierce, St. James Hotel, head of Main st.

Bradford City, 3d ward.

J. P. Abbott, Tunnel Brook House, corner Mechanic and Washington streets.
J. M. Lawson, Arden House, No. 13, Washington street.

Bradford City 4th ward.

Daniel O'Hern, O'Hern House, No. 24 Mechanic street.

Bradford Township

Charles Weil, Weil Hotel at Kinzua Junction.

Custer City

Simon Pelton, Pelton House, No. 1 Main st.
J. [illegible], Erie Hotel, on Warren st.
J. [illegible] Theiga, Custer City Hotel, N. W. corner of Bradford and Warren streets.

Ceres

W. H. Evans, Grand Central Hotel, Ceres township.
E. A. Chapman, Oswayo House, Ceres township.

Duke Centre Borough

George G. Davis, Duke House, Main street.
J. [illegible] Brown and R. T. [illegible], Empire House, Main street.

Eldred Borough.

C. M. Coleman, European Hotel, Railroad st.

Eldred Township

E. V. Chadwick, Chadwick's House, Larrabee.

Foster Township

Parton Worsley, Foster Brook Park Hotel at Foster Brook Park.

Gilmore

L. J. Dana, Dana House, north side Main st.

Hamlin Township

W. W. Brewer, Brewer House, at Mt. Jewett.

Kane

H. O. B[illegible]miller, St. Elmo Hotel.

Kendall Borough.

Jonas Artley, American House, corner Main and [illegible] streets.
A. J. Martin, Andrews House, Main st.

Keating Township

John H. Sowers, Exchange Hotel, East Smethport.

Rixford

C. A. Mather, Nash House, Main street.

Rew City

J. R. Goodnough, Seager House, Foster township on main road.

Red Rock.

J. W. Dennis, Exchange Hotel, Foster township.

Smethport Borough

Frank N. Taylor, Grand Central Hotel.
B. F. Wright, Wright House, corner Main and Mechanic streets.
H. B. Vincent, Che[illegible] House, Main st.

Sawyer City

P. O. Buchanan, [illegible] House, Foster township.

Summit City

Mrs. G. N. Cl[illegible], [illegible] House, Otto township, opposite [illegible] R. R. [illegible]

EATING HOUSE LICENSES.

[illegible] Ward

C. W. [illegible] Main street.

Bradford City, 3d Ward

J. W. Puter, [illegible] Washington street.

Bradford [illegible]

Patrick [illegible] street.
[illegible] Main street.

[illegible] to depot.

Eldred Township

[illegible] Creek

Kendall Borough

James [illegible] Main street.
[illegible] Main street.
C. B. Ala[illegible] Main street.

Kane

James Hyde [illegible] street.
John Fleming [illegible]

Red Rock

James Morr[illegible] Main street.

Turtle Point

[illegible]

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL LICENSES WITH OR WITHOUT BOTTLED GOODS.

Bradford City, 1st Ward

A. M. Maver, [illegible], No. 3 Main st.
N. K. Collins, [illegible] Chestnut street.
Isaac Kahn, No. 2 Main street.

Kane

Frank McCarthy

PETITIONS FOR LICENSES TO BOTTLE AND VEND MALT AND BREWED LIQUOR.

Bradford City 4th ward

Consolidated Bottling Company, Herman Maier secretary, at [illegible] of the N. Y., Lake Erie & W. R. R., near Mechanic street.
E. H. O'Brien, [illegible] Davitt and J. Coyne, as O'Brien, Davitt & Coyne, Independent Bottling House, No. 8 North Mechanic street.

Eldred Borough

R. W. Snyder and Isaac Joseph, as Snyder & Joseph, [illegible] Bottling Works, [illegible] street west of the B. N. Y. & P. R. R. depot.

Keating Township

J. H. Stull, Smethport Bottling Works, near the McKean & Buffalo R. R. depot, East Smethport.

All licenses must be lifted within fifteen days after the same are granted, or they will be void.

J. M. McELROY, Clerk.
HUGH P. BRAWLEY, Deputy.
Smethport, Pa., Feb'y 1, 1886.

Notice.

The following are accounts of Administrators and Guardians having been settled in the office of the Register, the same will be presented for confirmation at the Orphans' Court to be held at Smethport in and for the county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania on the fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1886.

First and final account of Richard J. Bisett, Administrator of the Estate of James Bisett, deceased.

First and final account of F. R. Mayo, Administrator of the estate of Alaric R. Larrabee, deceased.

Final account of Peter T. Kennedy, Guardian of Carrie J. Merow one of the children and heirs of William J. Merow, late of Bradford, Pa., deceased.

J. M. McELROY, Register.
H. M. CHOATE, Deputy.
Smethport, Jan. 29th 1886—w4.

Notice in Divorce.

A. D. No. 23, May Term, 1885.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss.—THE COMMONwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said county, Greeting:

Whereas, Violette Wagner by her next friend, Henry M. Brown did on the 14th day of April 1885, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas of said county, praying for the causes therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you, Arthur Wagner.

We therefore command you the said Arthur Wagner that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the county of McKean on the 4th Monday of Feb. next, to answer the petition or libel of said Violette Wagner, and to show cause, if any you have, why the said Violette Wagner, your wife should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, agreeably to the Acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.
Hamlin & McClure, Attorneys for Libellant.

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" "	20.00	16 00
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"	6 00	4 50
"	20 00	13 00
"	35 00	25 00
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"	12 00	8 50
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January 1, 1886.

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Jan.	[illegible]	July	[illegible]
Feb.	[illegible]	Aug.	[illegible]
March	[illegible]	Sept.	[illegible]
April	[illegible]	Oct.	[illegible]
May	[illegible]	Nov.	[illegible]
June	[illegible]	Dec.	[illegible]

LOCAL AND HUMOROUS.

I stepped into my room one day
And saw some children there at play;
I caught my [illegible] and found her
With half a dozen youngsters round her.
And, from the way she [illegible]
I knew that they were [illegible]

I gave my [illegible] a kiss—
A pleasure that [illegible]

A murmur through the [illegible] room ran,
A smile pervaded every feature—
"He must be a committeeman!"
They loudly exclaimed [illegible]
teacher.

—No complaint for the lack of fine sleighing.

—R. H. Black, of Kendall creek, was granted a patent for a snow [illegible] Jan. 26th.

—Sheriff Beaumont [illegible] considerable space in to-day's MINER [illegible] his official communications to the public.

—A. D. Smith was made P. M. at Rew on Monday last. The Star will [illegible] us whether it is our Rew or not.

—There will be a meeting of the W. C. T. U. at the Baptist church this Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock p. m.

—If the signs of ground hog day Tuesday last can be relied [illegible] to have six weeks more of winter [illegible]

—Buttonholing for [illegible] positions in the councils of the borough and townships will soon be the order of the day.

—Quite a number of the citizens of Kane accompanied the remains of the late Dr. D. V. Crossmire to this place Sunday last.

—Under the usual heading of to-day's MINER may be found the announcement of the Chautauqua House under its new management.

—Union services will be held at the Baptist church Sunday evening next. Sermon by Rev. Wm Bradley. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

—Auditor General Niles will accept our thanks for a copy of his report on the finances of the commonwealth for the year ending Nov. 30th, 1885.

—One of the best likenesses we have ever seen published was that of Colonel Wilson in last Sunday's Star. The Col. ought to feel proud over his "picture."

—February came in like a roaring lion, which well nigh exhausted the supply of gas and left poor humanity to shake with the cold to its heart's content.

—Those who visited the hospitable home of Mike Dunn, at Larrabee, Friday evening, report as having been most royally entertained by the popular host and hostess.

—Charley McDonald was a successful [illegible] through the townships of Keating, Liberty and Annin last fall on promises to pay. His headquarters are now in [illegible].

—Schaffer, the "Wizard," beat Vignaux, the Frenchman, in the last great billiard match in New York, by 1-2 points, in a grand total of [illegible]. He is to-day the champion of the world.

—There seems to be no flagging in the interest taken in the union meetings now being carried on this place. This is the fourth week these meetings have been carried on, and their [illegible] is being felt in our community.

—Some time [illegible] in this borough [illegible] taken from [illegible] [illegible] feet that [illegible] flags.

—One week [illegible] date set for the [illegible] the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia railroad to Washington [illegible] the opportunity [illegible] [illegible] with, [illegible].

—[illegible] Saturday evening at [illegible] With that [illegible] [illegible] you see? [illegible] occasion by [illegible].

—Moore, [illegible] put on an old pair of [illegible] and found the right [illegible] heavy. He put his [illegible] not a black snake [illegible] who are in the habit of [illegible] their business [illegible] get a chance should [illegible] Call.

—Moses Irons, a native and for many years a resident [illegible] at his residence in [illegible] Tuesday [illegible] We have not heard the particulars [illegible] The funeral services will be held at the residence about two miles [illegible] Port Allegany, this Friday morning at 11 a. m.

—It would seem as if when a person arrived at manhood's estate that he would know, if ever, how to deport himself in a public meeting so as to not torture every one who happens to be so unfortunate as to be seated near him. We throw out this hint with the hope that it may prove of timely import to any who may be guilty of the offence above alluded to.

—A large dog resembling the St. Bernard species, has been hanging around the printing offices of this town for some time past, trying to get an interview with the editors, or else get into a political discussion. He looks as if he would like to get a chance to sub for Jack Beckwith, but we cannot decide whether to put him to the case or send him to Washington to write up politics.

—Rev. J. P. Thomas of the Baptist church, of Bradford, will officiate at the dedication of the Union church at Coles grove, Wednesday, Feb. 10th, at two o'clock p. m. There will also be services held in the evening. Rev. F. H. Gates and Rev. Wm. Bradley, of Smethport, Rev. E. D. Allice, of Keating Summit and other clergymen are expected to be present. All are cordially invited to attend.

—Physicians say that pneumonia is oftener contracted by people who are shut up in over-heated rooms than by any other cause. Gas is used in this establishment for heating purposes, and if the medical profession is correct in assigning over-heat as one of the causes for this dread disease, we feel as if we had cause to be thankful for immunity from pneumonia as long as excessive cold weather holds on—even if we have to freeze to death in order to ward off an attack of it.

—The assignee of the estate of Whitney & Wheeler announces that he is prepared to pay the balance in full of all claims against the estate. The assignment was made in May, 1884, and the fact that in considerable less than two years the assignee is able to liquidate all indebtedness not only shows very excellent and judicious management on the part of himself and his assistants, but places the credit of the firm as unquestioned.—*Star.*

—How's the gas?

—Argument court this week at Bradford, but no free grub followed.

—It is to be hoped that bloodhound and jackass shows will hereafter land in this town on some other night than Wednesday.

—Mine host Taylor, of the Grand Central Hotel, has erected in the rear of that building an ice house that will require all the ice that Marvin creek is liable to afford this winter to fill it. It would seem that Frank was bent on making a corner in the ice market next summer.

—The Philadelphia and Erie railroad earned $[illegible] in December over its expenses. It is becoming one of the [illegible] of the country, [illegible] would [illegible] a great passenger [illegible] it had two [illegible] trains every 24 hours, [illegible]

—On our outside will be found an interesting account [illegible] [illegible] the bloodiest [illegible] [illegible] read this account with interest.

PERSONAL MENTION.

We would deem it a favor of those having [illegible] [illegible] at this office.

Miss Clara [illegible] is visiting Olean friends this week.

Mrs. Dr. H. [illegible] of Bradford [illegible] week.

[illegible] Ethel, [illegible]

A. J. [illegible] Port Allegany [illegible] Tuesday.

[illegible] Lerfer, [illegible] Monday.

[illegible] O. J. [illegible] located at [illegible] Blacker [illegible] recovering.

[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] of Smethport, [illegible] of Miss Nell [illegible] excursion [illegible] railroad [illegible] of Kane [illegible] has been visiting [illegible] [illegible] Winter [illegible] [illegible] his [illegible]

Lafayette Township.

[illegible]

Big Shanty—Walter Cassiday and H. B. Raven.

[illegible] A. G. Phillips and William Robinson.

Lafayette—E. N. [illegible] and Samuel H. [illegible]

[illegible] Peter Davis.

[illegible] Walters and J. R. [illegible]

Lewis Run—[illegible] Foster.

[illegible] A. P. Jones.

[illegible] Henry Penfield.

[illegible]

Mt. Jewett School Report.

[illegible] 1885.

[illegible]

[illegible] Teacher.

Not the Man Wanted.

[illegible] Robinson, [illegible] After a most critical examination of the innocent [illegible] Mr. Robinson was satisfied that he was not the man wanted, although his description tallied exactly with that of the escaped murderer, with the exception as to his weight and age. There is hardly any doubt that Mr. Goddard is guilty of some great crime, but where he is wanted is what is puzzling the authorities. In the meantime Sheriff Beaumont [illegible] to be pleased to dispose of [illegible] one who can put in a good claim for him.

Ho! For Washington.

On Monday, Feb. 15, the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia railroad company will run an excursion to Washington, via. Emporium, Williamsport, Harrisburg and Baltimore. The excursionists will have fifteen days in which to see the sights of the national capital at the most interesting season of the year. The fare for the round trip will be from Olean $15.00, Eldred $14.75, Port Allegany $14.75. The excursion will be under the personal supervision of C. C. Lowry, which is ample guarantee that those who go will receive every courtesy that is in his power to bestow. Mr. Lowry informs us that he has made arrangements in Washington for first-class hotel accommodations for all at the low price of $1.50 per day. For any information desired write to C. C. Lowry, Holland, N. Y., who will be pleased to give further particulars relating to the excursion.

An Eloquent Sermon.

ED. MINER:—As an item I desire to say, that yesterday I had the pleasure of listening to one of the most interesting discourses I ever heard, from an old gentleman by the name of Stoddard, who I believe hails from Farmer's Valley. His subject was "scripture prophecy" or the "lost ten tribes," which he handled in an eloquent manner, and in the discussion of which he showed deep research. I was very much delighted and astonished to hear so much of a sermon from so old a man.

SUBSCRIBER.

Mt. Jewett, Feb. 1st, '86.

Death of D. V. Crossmire.

Our Kane correspondent writes as follows in reference to the death of our old and highly esteemed citizen, Dr. Derrick Crossmire:

"It becomes our sad and painful duty this week, to chronicle the death of Dr. D. V. Crossmire, who departed this life at fifteen minutes past 10 o'clock, on Friday evening last at his residence on Fraley street, in the 61st year of his age. The Doctor's death was sudden yet we cannot say unexpected, as but a few hours before his demise it was observed that he was growing weak and his breathing became short and quick. The last words he uttered were to Mr. D. A. Easterbrook, who had been attending him as a night nurse for some ten days prior to his death. Owing to the fire at the Centennial House, there was considerable commotion in town, and the doctor hearing it turned to Easterbrook and said, 'where is the fire?' Easterbrook answered, 'they say it is the Centennial House, but that it is under control.' The doctor then asked, 'where can they get water?' which were the last words he uttered. He seemed to drop into a doze after that from which he never awoke. About half an hour after, Easterbrook noticed a singular and deathlike expression in his eyes which were partly open. Just then the doctor drew a long, expiring breath and all that was mortal of this old and highly respected citizen and physician was cold in death.

"Dr. Crossmire was one of the early settlers of Kane, coming here in the fall of 186[illegible], where he has since resided and practiced his profession. He was well known throughout the county and had a host of friends here and vicinity. He [illegible] would care for and protect the bereaved wife and little ones." The remains were taken [illegible]

[illegible] is hardly [illegible] to say, [illegible] friends of Dr. [illegible] physician and [illegible] His loss is felt [illegible] family, but [illegible] community in which he was engaged.

To Parents.

Why is it that our boys and girls [illegible] Do you know, parents, that your boy [illegible] Do you know that he swears [illegible] [illegible] We have seen [illegible] And [illegible] [illegible] We are asking for [illegible] We as parents are chargeable with [illegible] [illegible]

Judge [illegible] parents will not allow children to go out after dark to coast, skate, etc., nor will they allow young children to attend parties.

Let us all turn our eyes inward and see if we are doing our whole duty to our children, to our country and to the world's society in general.

OBSERVER.

Smethport, Feb. 3rd, 1886.

The New York Tribune.

The Tribune Almanac for 1886 has made its appearance. This work has long had the reputation of a standard book of reference for political and statistical information. The Almanacs for 1884 and 1885 had an unusual sale, and as it is stated that considerable pains have been taken to present in The Almanac for 1886 a complete and accurate statement of the gold and silver coinage from the beginning of the Government, and the production of those metals, as also President Cleveland's Inaugural Address, the new issue will be in demand also. In addition to elaborate election tables, The Almanac gives summaries of all the important laws passed at the last session of Congress, statistics of all the operations of the Government, and lists of all the chief officials at Washington, and of the new Congress, together with a large variety of other general information. There is an official statement of the new postage rates, among other things. Price, 20 cents a copy.

Spelling Match.

Can you spell? Well, yes; almost anybody can spell. Then spell this, and make out what it means. If you can't, then pass it on to your next neighbor:

B-R-E-E-I-N-S-O-O-R-R-E-S-T-Y-W.

Don't say it out loud, but just whisper in your pretty neighbor's ear, that if she will place these letters in proper position she will have the world's great tonic, which will enrich her impoverished blood, put roses on her pale cheeks and make her strong and happy. Go to the nearest drug store with a dollar in your hand, and ask for Brown's Iron Bitters.

Keep your family well supplied with "Sellers' Cough Syrup." Use it in time; you will avert bronchial and pulmonary affections. 25 cents.

ITEMS FROM KANE.

Look out for the Meckie party, the 18th.

H. O. Slymiller spent a few hours in Ridgway, Thursday last.

Dr. A. M. Straight, of Bradford, was in town Friday last calling on his patients.

N. M. Orr, attorney-at-law, was attending to legal matters at Ridgway last week.

Who said that "Bull" run from us as that was being wielded in a "bustles" hands one night last week.

Thos. Griffith, of Ebensburg, Cambria Co., this state, is in Kane, looking after his interests in this section. He is the guest of his son J. F. Griffith at East Kane.

[illegible] is having considerable trouble with his foot that was so badly hurt by having it tramped on some time ago. He is compelled to use a [illegible] to make walking a comfort to him.

Messrs. Keene & Welker are putting in a new billiard table, of the Brunswick & Bake Co. [illegible] They will place it, and also move the [illegible] to the second story front room.

The Thompson House news stand is again [illegible] "Look out C. H. [illegible]" [illegible] you have nothing to fear—[illegible]

Mr. [illegible] who recently purchased the [illegible] livery stable, is a gentleman that [illegible] the livery business and [illegible] liberal share of the patronage [illegible]

What Kane needs is a first class news stand in the business portion of the town. [illegible] jewelry [illegible] [illegible] Kane were [illegible] north east corner [illegible] and the alarm was [illegible] ere a bucket [illegible] being thrown [illegible] was done, in the [illegible] the water onto the fire. [illegible] it was a surprise to [illegible] another [illegible] will be [illegible] MINER. [illegible] up town, some one [illegible] in the [illegible] [illegible] were thrown [illegible] of the above [illegible] and we think that [illegible] who indulge [illegible] they throw [illegible] of the man taken.

RAMBLER.

Kane, Feb. [illegible]

Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer [illegible] recommended by [illegible] and scientists [illegible] wonderful [illegible] It is a certain remedy for removing dandruff, making the scalp white and clean, and restoring gray hair to its youthful color.

LITERARY NOTE.

The Philadelphia Weekly Press is now [illegible] a series of papers [illegible] the part taken by Pennsylvania [illegible] the late war. These articles [illegible] a vivid pen [illegible] incident in [illegible] The [illegible] written by J. W. [illegible] One Hundred and Fifty-Sixth [illegible] Pennsylvania Volunteers, and [illegible] the issue [illegible] written by Capt. [illegible] in the issue [illegible] for this [illegible] promise to be [illegible] and valuable of any [illegible] papers. Back [illegible] supplied until the edition [illegible] All information can [illegible] by addressing The Press Company, Limited, Philadelphia, Pa.

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[illegible] the flesh eaten off her [illegible] see the sinews [illegible] Dr. [illegible] Blood Searcher [illegible] Pa.

[illegible] particular attention will [illegible] department, as [illegible] by which I [illegible] every few [illegible] on all the [illegible]

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Smethport, Pa., July 2[illegible], '85.—tf.

Orphan's Court Sale.

ESTATE OF [illegible], DECEASED.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF THE ORPHAN'S [illegible] there will [illegible] at the premises [illegible] [illegible] township [illegible] and State of Pennsylvania, [illegible] as follows, to [illegible] of the highway [illegible] Smethport, at [illegible] thence northerly [illegible] several courses [illegible] to the southeast corner [illegible] to Polly Messenger to D. P. [illegible] along east line of said [illegible] of the highway; thence [illegible] along centre of said highway to place of beginning, containing about one acre of land, be the same more or less, being part of land deeded by Henry Smith and wife, November [illegible] to Polly Messenger, and recorded in McKean county, December [illegible] 1[illegible], in deed book H, page [illegible], having thereon one frame dwelling house, [illegible] one frame barn, one well of water, several fruit trees, nearly all improved. Terms of sale, one-half cash at time of sale and balance on confirmation of sale and delivery of deed.

JOHN J. ROBARTS, Administrator.

J. W. [illegible], Attorney.

[illegible], January 2[illegible], 1886.—[illegible]

Farm for Sale.

THE farm of the late S. P. Card, located near Smethport, McKean county, Pa., consisting [illegible] in a good state of cultivation [illegible] dwelling house and usual farm buildings [illegible] a sugar camp of 2,000 [illegible] a good orchard, and is offered for sale cheap. For terms [illegible] apply to

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J. E. Fleming, publisher of the New Dominion, Morgantown, W. Va., writes: "Some months since, I received some of your medicine in exchange for advertising. My wife has taken five bottles of it, and has derived great benefit from it."

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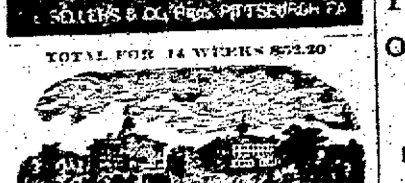

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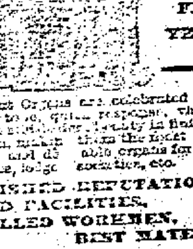

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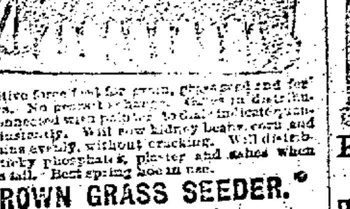

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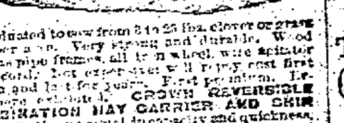

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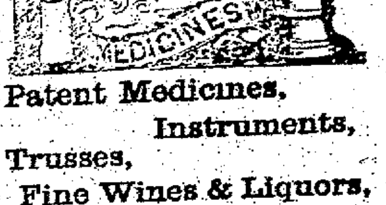

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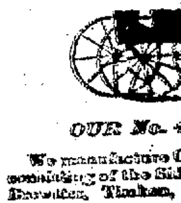

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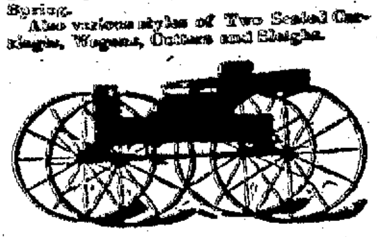

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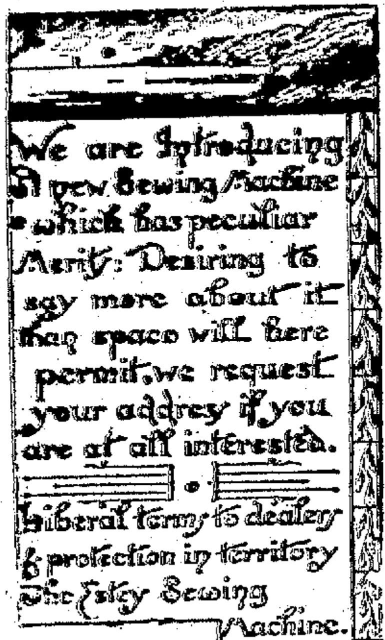

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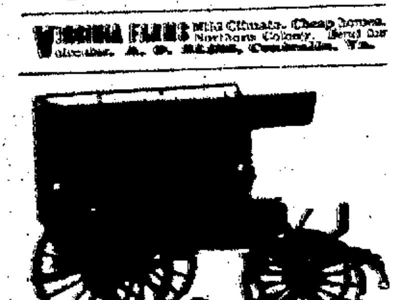

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VALUE OF SELF-POSSESSION.

The Trouble Caused by Its Lack—A Philosopher's Comments.

[Detroit Free Press.]

"See here, young man, now that you brought about this discussion, and as I have nothing particular to engage my attention just at present, let me talk with you a trifle on my hobby."

"I'm at your service."

"The average man is a good sort of an animal, and if he has reached the distinction of being able to read and write he is also possessed of sufficient intelligence to know right from wrong—knowing that he would, in nine cases out of ten, be genteel—mind you, now, I'm not speaking of dress—if it were not for lack of self-possession. Self-possession. That's my hobby. Want to hear about it?"

"I'm deeply interested."

"Nine men out of ten would raise their hats if, while strolling through a cemetery, they should suddenly come upon a group surrounding an open grave as the clergyman read the burial service, and they would do so because their surroundings would have placed them thoroughly in accord with the solemnity of the scene. They would be perfectly self-possessed. They would do the same thing on the busiest street in the most bustling city, upon meeting a funeral procession, if they were only self-possessed."

"Possibly."

"Have you not many a time failed to unhitch a horse for a lady, or pick up a package some lady has dropped at the instant when you were passing her, and when a dozen feet beyond the opportunity have you not regretted the omission of the courtesy? Can you not recall scores of such chances in which you have neglected to do yourself justice?"

"Yes, I believe I can."

"Of course you can. Every man can. They're happening every day, and the myriads of such mistakes are all accountable to a lack of self-possession. The men are few and far between, as I believe, who are not sufficiently delicate of appreciation to know when they may bestow a courtesy, but they are also not numerous who get hold of the idea instantly and in time to act without making a botch of it."

"Have you any theory to advance on the cultivation of quick wit?"

"None whatever. It is a quality which is born in a few, acquired by many, and lost by default to the great majority. When it becomes universal, then will this world be a perfect place to stay in."

Foreigners in Algiers.

[San Francisco Chronicle.]

The negroes are curiously enough whitewashers, as in America, an occupation to which they take kindly from contrast of color or some other mystic reason. The Spaniards are generally industrious, but for some unknown cause, unless it is merely the jealousy of competing workmen, much disliked by the French. They are masons, quarrymen, terrace makers and miners. Those in easy circumstances have become farmers, and a few are numbered among the large landed proprietors. The Italians, who are nearly all from Sardinia or the maritime provinces of Italy, are market gardeners, fishermen or follow the trades of mason, plasterer, painter and potter.

The similarity of climate renders the change of residence of the Maltese to Algiers easy and natural. They become small dealers, keepers of restaurants and wine houses, porters or carmen, and sometimes small landholders. German and Swiss immigrants at once become farmers. Immigrants of all classes are obliged to learn French. Naturalization is common. Children of all nationalities attend the communal schools and lyceums, and the process of assimilation of all these divers elements into one nation, though not so rapid as in America, is constant and certain. The young man born in Algiers long since ceased to be a novelty.

He grows up, receives a good education, serves his military term in France, enters into the public service, or either in France, Cochin China or Algiers follows the trade or occupation for which his training or literary attainments have fitted him. He is from his birth more cosmopolitan than his compatriots born and reared in France, partly because his surroundings are more cosmopolitan, and a strain of foreign blood may be mingled with that purely Gallic which trickles through his veins.

Warming Rooms in Europe.

[Herald of Health.]

A correspondent writing from Vienna says: "If all the little details tending to better the common welfare of every nation were gathered together and centered in one nation, that nation would be a happy one, but I think it would still grumble. To give an example or two of what I mean. In England the ordinary method of warming a room is by means of an open fire. It is a very cheerful way, certainly, but very dear, because not half the warmth given out by the burning coal is radiated into the room. It goes up the chimney. In France there is an improvement by using stoves. Here in Austria it is still better. The stoves are large, about six feet high and two broad, but have a small place for the fire. So when the fire is kindled, heat is given out to the sides of the stoves before it can lose itself in the flue.

"In Russia the stoves have a number of flues, usually six, up the first of which the heated smoke goes, down the second, up the third, etc., so that by the time it reaches the chimney it is almost cold. A handful of wood warms the stove enough to heat a large room. When the fire is burnt out the communication to the chimney and room are cut off, then the stove slowly radiates its accumulated heat into the room. Where I am writing this letter is a large white earthenware stove six feet high with forty-eight square feet of surface. A pound of coal sets it going and keeps the room warm for the greater part of the day."

Hurt's Their Feelings.

[Boston Record.]

There is nothing that distress English people, when they are at home in England, more than American pronunciation of American names. Chicago, instead of Chick-argo, as every Englishman knows the name should be pronounced, hurts their feelings dreadfully. A Boston lady, who recently spent a little time with an English family in London, where, on account of the residence of a friend in Michigan, there was occasion for reference now and then to that state, says that after she had once mentioned the name of Michigan, her hostess managed quietly to get her ear and whispered:

"Couldn't you, you know, while you are here, just to make it seem a little less strange to our friends, say Mikkigan?"

A Difference in Delicacy.

"It is true," observes M. O'Rell, with a smile of superiority, "that in England you find soap in hotel bedrooms, but English people and their American cousins will perhaps be surprised when we tell them that a French gentleman would feel perhaps as much repugnance to using a well-worn cake of hotel soap as an Englishman would feel to putting in his mouth a toothbrush that he happened to find on the dressing table of a lodging house. We will even venture to add that many French ladies carry delicacy so far as to take their own bed linen with them on their journeys."

An Oppressive Silence Followed.

[Philadelphia Bulletin.]

"I am very tired," said the lady at the head of the boarding-house table, the other morning, to the good-natured minister who sat at the other end. "You should not be," said the parson; "you didn't preach a sermon yesterday." "No," said the lady, almost unconsciously; "but I listened to one." Then followed an oppressive silence, which gave the minister time to reflect that he had come out only second best.

A traveler in Scandinavia says it is a tradition there that the bones of the pagan gods, Thor, Woden and Freya, are buried near the town of Upsala, Sweden, where was situated the great temple of their religion until it was destroyed by the Christians.

THE NARROW ESCAPE

Of a Massachusetts Engineer.

Sleep that fatigue and health's foe disease are two of the greatest experiences known to man. Fourteen years is a long time to suffer, yet Mr. Peter Lawler, of Dalton, Mass., has led a miserable life for that period through the presence of stone in the bladder. He did obtain temporary relief, but nothing more. Last January he called on Dr. David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., who said, after an examination: "Mr. Lawler, you have stone in the bladder. We will first try DR. DAVID KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY before making an operation." A few days later the following letter passed through the Dalton Post Office:

DALTON, MASS., Feb. 6.
DEAR DR. KENNEDY: The day after I came home I passed two gravel stones, and am doing nicely now.
PETER LAWLER.

Dr. Kennedy now has the stones at his office, and they are sufficient (combining) to justify the claim that KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY is the leading specific for a cure in the bladder. In his letter Mr. Lawler mentions that FAVORITE REMEDY also cured him of rheumatism. The subjoined certificate tells its own story:

OLD BERKSHIRE MILLS,
DALTON, MASS., April 27, 1885.

Mr. Peter Lawler has been a resident of this town for the past seventeen years, and in our employ for fifteen, and in all these years he has been a good and respected citizen of this town and community. He has had some chronic disease to our knowledge for most of the time, but now claims to be, and is, in apparent good health.
CHARLES O. BROWN, President.

$1 bottle; six for $5. All druggists.

Dr. David Kennedy's "Favorite Remedy" (of Rondout, N. Y.)—It is not a mere soother, temporarily, of pain, but by its alterative action purifies the blood, restores a healthful condition to the diseased organs, and even dissolves and causes the expulsion of gravel and stone from the kidneys and bladder. The testimony of hundreds who have been cured by it vouches for it.

THE Lehigh Valley Railroad earned $4,400,000 net last year.

Is your back lame? It is a solid fact that the only sure cure for disease of the kidney, liver, bladder, is Hunt's Remedy.

A CENTRE COUNTY man owns a gander which has reached the age of 20 years.

DISORDERED liver and kidneys will produce rheumatism and neuralgia. All liver and Kidney diseases are cured by Hunt's Remedy.

BRADFORD COUNTY has $315,657 invested in school property.

FOR RHEUMATISM, Lumbago, Neuralgia Cramp and Colic there is no remedy superior to the genuine Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

CONSIDERABLE corn is still in the shock in Greene County.

CERTAIN Minerals, once forming a part of almost every medicine, are now regarded dangerous and unnecessary. The evils they produce are worse than the disease they were supposed to cure. Dr. Walker's California Vinegar Bitters contains nothing but the juices of plants —and cures all disorders of the liver, skin, kidneys, digestive organs, and blood.

There are 12,763 taxable inhabitants in Clearfield County. The population in 1880 was 43,000.

AN Invaluable article. An article like Ely's Cream Balm has long been desired, and now that it is within the reach of sufferers from Catarrh, Hay Fever and Cold in head, there is every reason to believe they will make the most of it. Dr. W. E. Buckman, W. E. Hamman, Druggist, and other Eastonians have given it a trial, and all recommend it in the highest terms.—*Easton, Pa., Daily Argus.*

THE Canonsburg Iron Company has orders ahead for over 1,000 tons of iron and steel plate.

How many bald heads you see. Work, worry disease, dissipation. These do it. Parker's hair Balsam stops falling hair and restores gloss and youthful color. Exceptionally clean, elegant, a perfect dressing, not greasy. Prevents dandruff.
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MAJOR WM. P. ELLIOTT, of Lewistown, the oldest printer in the state, celebrated his 93d birthday, January 11.

YOU can't work to much purpose unless you are well, but you can build up your health and strength with Parker's Tonic, and work will then become easy. It sets the lungs, liver and Kidneys in working order. Coughs and colds vanish before it. Take it in time.
F

AT Houtzdale the other day a man was put in jail because he refused to pay 68 cents a week toward supporting his mother.

ONE night a while ago John Layton, who runs the main line boat train from Boston, came on my engine sick as death. He was so feverish and nervous he almost cried. "Cheer up, John," says I, "and I'll fix you in a jiffy, and I gave him a good dose of Dr. Kennedy's 'Favorite Remedy.' He went to bed. Two days after I saw him looking strong as a butcher. 'That's the stuff for a railroad man,' he said."—Daniel Fitts, Engineer Old Colony Railroad.

IT is said that there were 250 couples from Pennsylvania married in Camden during the month ending January 15.

MY mother is eighty-three years of age, and has suffered greatly with rheumatism. In fact she was quite helpless, being unable to move about the house. A lady friend induced her to try Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. She did so and found almost immediate relief. The power of this medicine to do good extends to all ages and a wide range of complaints. You cannot possibly regret having purchased it. Remember that rheumatism cannot be cured externally.

New Testimonials of Dennis' Home Remedies.

Charles Averson, of Smethport, says: "I have used three bottles of the Blood, Liver and Kidney Cure, for a bad condition of my blood and think it a first-class medicine and will take two bottles more."

Mrs. Dennis Quinlisk says: "I have used one bottle and find my health very much improved. I can recommend it to all persons needing a good honest vegetable medicine for general debility from liver and kidney disease."

Mrs. E. P. Pratt says: "I have used one bottle of your Cough Syrup and will take another bottle. It is good."

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THE GRIST-MILLS OF HUMANITY.

What Civilization Did for Our Teeth—Advice to Chew Everything.

[Chicago Herald.]

One of the best-known dentists of the city was in a communicative mood the other day when a reporter was having a little tooth carpentering done. Naturally the subject turned upon the preservation of the teeth, and the doctor was easily induced to express his views, which he did about as follows:

"When primitive man dined on tough meat in a raw or half-cooked condition, tearing the flesh with his teeth, and gnawing the bones like a lion little need had he to look after the state of his grist-mill, for the vigorous action, the firm pressure of the gums, the rough friction against bone and gristle, in short, the energetic exercise of the whole mouth kept his mills in perfect condition. Our primitive friend lived to a ripe old age, and then died with a mouthful of sound teeth.

"But, alas! with the glories and amenities of civilization came the new process of cooking and changes of diet, much less favorable to the health of our grist-mills. Meats were made tender by thorough exposure to heat; vegetables were reduced to a soft paperscence of the same agency, and fine white bread became the staff of life, so that the teeth had little or nothing to do, no hard work to keep them clean and strong or to make the gums firm and healthy. To make matters still worse, having little or nothing to chew, we lost the good old habit of chewing, and even our soft foods were swallowed without the little mastication that they needed. This lack of use produced feeble nutrition and lessened power of resistance, and soon organic acids, decomposed food, etc., wrought havoc upon the tooth tissue, eroding and eating away the enamel and dentine till one fine day a sharp pain sternly called attention to the fact that civilized habits are not compatible with sound grinders.

"In the causes of decay given above are shadowed forth the two principal means which it is necessary to adopt in in order to preserve the teeth; that is, cleanliness and use. Use your teeth in chewing your food; chew everything you put in your mouth vigorously and thoroughly, whether it is jelly of pigeons' brains or leathery beefsteak. If you do this, and let nothing pass the portals of your mouth without having first given the teeth some vigorous exercise upon it, not only will the teeth be firmer and stronger, but the whole mouth will be healthier and the digestion improved. To further this object avoid cutting the meat into such microscopic bits that it can be, or is likely to be, swallowed whole, and avoid undue haste in eating.

"This proper use of the teeth should be supplemented with a vigorous use of the toothbrush upon the teeth and gums, especially the latter. Vigorous friction in this way is a substitute for that before spoken of as being so beneficial to our primitive friend when he gnawed bones and chewed gristle. It engenders an increased flow of blood to the gums, stimulates them and improves their nutrition. Brush them every day till they bleed, and it only makes them firmer and healthier, until finally no amount of brushing will make them bleed. Next comes cleanliness. By means of toothpicks and rinsing the mouth with water after each meal keep the interstices of the mouth free from particles of food.

"A popular error that should be corrected, and by whom better than by the doctors, is the idea that the first or milk teeth should be pulled out as soon as they are decayed or show signs of looseness. Let it be remembered that when the milk teeth are extracted before the proper time a narrow and contracted or more seriously deformed jaw results. The rapidly growing jaw of the boy or girl closes in upon the space left vacant by the lost tooth, absorption of the alveolar process takes place, so deforming the jaw that when the second teeth come they find no room and become crooked and irregular. In short, an irremediable error has been made."

Wanted Elizabeth, Anyway.

[Boston Record.]

Her affections center upon a doll whose name—the longest her tongue could frame at the time it was bestowed—is Elizabeth. For some misdemeanor of unusual gravity the young lady was sent to bed at an early hour, and in the woe attending the infliction of this punishment she forgot to take with her the cherished Elizabeth to share her couch. Realizing her desolation she summoned her mother by calls from the chamber.

"Mamma! I want Elizabeth. Please bring Elizabeth up to me!"

This mitigation of the penalty was denied; but the demand was repeated, each refusal being followed by a yet more petulant request, until finally there came a suggestion of the last resort of maternal discipline:

"Nellie, I am afraid I shall have to come up and punish you."

Quick came the response, punctuated with sobs:

"Well, when you come up, please bring Elizabeth."

Five-Cent Lodging-Houses.

[New York Cor. Cincinnati Enquirer.]

A still lower depth is found in the 5-cent lodging-houses, in which a small army of les miserables find nightly shelter. They are chiefly basements, which are hired for $300 a year. The tenant fits them up with bunks and straw and a bit of carpet for a covering, and this is much better than "taking a plank" at the station-house. A dozen lodgers will pay rent, and then enough are generally taken in to clear $3 or $4, and this is really a good business. The 5-cent lodgers include the wretched of all classes, except newsboys, who have a lodging-house of their own at the same rate. This is a superior institution, endowed in a permanent manner, but its advantages are limited to this class.

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[Norfolk (Va.) Cor. Frank Leslie's.]

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE DIVISION TIME TABLE. In effect Nov. 8, 1885.
Daily Except Sunday.

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM JUNCTION EASTWARD.

8:25 a. m.—Day Express for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, Lancaster, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 p. m., New York 9:25 p. m., Baltimore 6:45 p. m., Washington, 8:00 p. m. Pullman Parlor car through from Williamsport to Philadelphia.

9:10 p. m.—Erie Mail for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, Lancaster, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington, arriving at Philadelphia 8:25 a. m., New York 11:20 a. m., Baltimore 8:10 a. m., Washington 9:25 a. m. Through Pullman sleeping cars are run on this train from Erie to Philadelphia and from Williamsport to Baltimore and Washington and through passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia and from Williamsport to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

11:00 a. m.—Erie Mail for Erie and all intermediate stations with through Pullman Palace car and through passenger coaches to Erie.

7:10 p. m.—Niagara Express for Kane and intermediate stations with through passenger coaches to Kane.

THROUGH TRAINS for EMPORIUM JUNCTION FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia 7:20 a. m. Baltimore 7:20 a. m., arriving at Emporium Junction 7:10 p. m., with through Pullman Parlor car from Philadelphia to Williamsport. Erie Mail leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10:00 p. m., Baltimore 11:20 p. m., arriving at Emporium Junction 11:00 a. m., with through Pullman Palace sleeping cars from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Erie.

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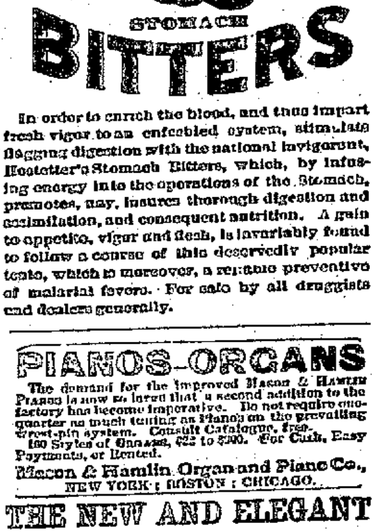

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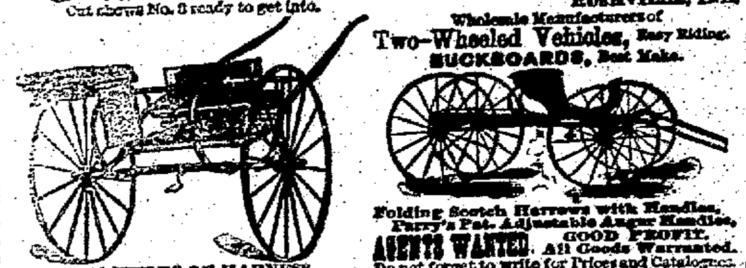

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Time Table taken effect Dec 14, 1885.

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11 30				Washington	[illegible]			
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p.m.								

Trains leaving Buffalo 5:30 p. m., and arriving Buffalo 8:30 a. m. run daily.

Additional Sunday Trains.—Leave Buffalo 10:30 a. m., arriving at Machias Jc. 1:00 p. m., leave Machias Jc. 3:00 p. m., arriving at Buffalo at 5:30 p. m. stopping at intermediate stations.

ROCHESTER DIVISION.

North'd				Stations	South'd			
p.m.	a.m.	a.m.	Ar.		Lv. a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
6 40	11 35	9 00		Rochester	7 30	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6 27	11 15	8 47		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6 20	11 [illegible]	8 40		Genesee Junc.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	5 45
6 05	10 [illegible]	[illegible]		Scottsville	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	6 05
5 27	10 [illegible]	8 00		Avon	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	6 24
5 20	10 21	7 47		Fowlerville	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	6 37
5 20	10 16	7 40		York	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	6 45
5 10	10 00	7 22		Cuylerville	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	7 04
4 18	9 45	7 10		Mt Morris	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	7 18
4 50	9 28	6 53		Tuscarora	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	7 40
4 20	9 20	6 40		Junction	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	7 50
3 56	8 50	a.m.		Portage	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	p.m.
3 42	8 33			Wiscoy	[illegible]	[illegible]		
3 26	[illegible]			Fillmore	[illegible]	[illegible]		
3 11	[illegible]			Caneadea	[illegible]	[illegible]		
3 00	[illegible]			Belfast	[illegible]	[illegible]		
2 50	[illegible]			Cuba	[illegible]	[illegible]		
2 30	7 45			Hinsdale	[illegible]	[illegible]		
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CLERMONT BRANCH.

Lv Northw'd		STATIONS.	Lv Southw'd	
P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.
3.10	9.30	Larrabees	11.40	5.50
2.47	9.10	Frisbee	11.52	6.06
2.42	9.00	Farmers Valley	12.05	6.12
2.30	8.40	Smethport	12.14	6.27
2.10	8.30	Crosby	12.25	6.42
2.05	8.10	Colegrove	12.35	6.47
2.00	7.55	Hamlin	12.37	6.55
1.46	7.30	Wernwag	12.54	7.12
1.30	7.00	Clermont	1.20	7.30
P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	P.M.

Narrow Gauge System. Trains leave Olean for Bradford 7.30, 11.30 a. m., 5.50 p. m., arrive Olean 9.10 a. m., 2.40, 7.30 p. m. Leave Eldred for Bradford 7.10, 11.30 a. m., 5.35 p. m., arrive E'dred 8.30, a. m., 2.05, 6.30 p. m. Leave Bradford for Kinzua 7.00, 11.15 a. m., 4.20 p. m., arrive Bradford 11.25 a. m., 2.35, 6.00 p. m.

Sunday Trains.—Leave Olean 5.00 p. m. arrive Olean 11.40 a. m.

Trains are run on Eastern Time.

Pullman Sleeping Cars between Emporium and Philadelphia, on trains leaving Buffalo at 2.40 p. m., arriving Buffalo 7.00 a. m.

Tickets sold and baggage checked to all principle points.

Get Time Tables giving full information from Company's Agents.

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THE ERIE NARROW GAUGE SYSTEM.
BRADFORD BORDELL & KINZUA RAILROAD, and BRADFORD, ELDRED & CUBA RAILROAD. Takes effect Sunday, Jan. 17, '86.

WESTWARD.			STATIONS	EASTWARD.		
b	b	b		b	a	b
p.m.	p.m.	a.m.		a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
5 25	12 35	9 45	ar..Bradford..lv	7 25	1 [illegible]	10 30
4 40	12 10	8 20	Kenzua Jc.	[illegible]	[illegible]	12 10
4 30	11 20	8 10	Aiken	[illegible]	[illegible]	12 25
4 16	11 00	7 50	Simpson	[illegible]	[illegible]	12 45
3 25	10 50	7 15	Smethport	[illegible]	[illegible]	1 45
4 20	12 40	8 30	New City	[illegible]	[illegible]	11 40
4 05	11 57		Rixford	[illegible]	[illegible]	12 20
4 [illegible]	11 32		Duke Centre	[illegible]	[illegible]	12 45
3 43	11 15		Eldred	[illegible]	[illegible]	1 00
3 20	10 55		Bullis Mills	[illegible]	[illegible]	1 37
3 17	10 43		Ceres	[illegible]	[illegible]	1 50
2 47	10 [illegible]		Little Genesee	[illegible]	[illegible]	2 15
			Bolivar...Ar			2 30
2 48	10 20		Bolivar	[illegible]	[illegible]	2 40
2 23	9 [illegible]		Allentown	[illegible]	[illegible]	3 25
1 55	9 20		lv Wellsville ar	[illegible]	7 20	4 10
			N.Y., L.E. & W.			
12 40	7 30		Hornellsville	[illegible]	8 20	7 45
				p.m.		
	5 25		Corning	1 25	9 51	
	5 58		Elmira	1 56	10 25	
	5 12		Waverly	[illegible]	10 [illegible]	
	4 36		Owego	[illegible]	11 [illegible]	
					a.m.	
	3 53		Binghampton	[illegible]	12 11	
	8 00		New York	10 [illegible]	7 30	
	p.m.					

Sunday Trains leave Wellsville at [illegible] a. m., Bolivar at 8 24, Ceres at 8 51, Eldred at 9 24, Duke Centre at 9 42, Rixford at 9 4[illegible], New City at 10 03, Smethport at 9 10, Simpson at 9 51, Aiken at 10 25, arriving at Bradford at 11 a. m.

Additional train leaves Wellsville daily, except Sunday, at 5.25 p.m., arriving at Allentown at 5 45 and Bolivar at 6 15 p. m.

a—Runs daily.
b—Runs daily except Sunday.

JNO. C. McKENNA,
Superintendent.

CUBA BRANCH. To take effect Jan. 1, 1884.

Westward.		Stations.	Eastward.	
25	26		25	27
p.m.	a.m.		a.m.	p.m.
4 27	9 47	Ar....Cuba.....Lv	10 [illegible]	5 05
1 [illegible]	7 25	Lv..Little Genesee..ar	11 42	5 46
1 15	7 10	....Bolivar....	11 55	5 54

B. C. WILLIAMS, Gen'l Man'ger.
JNO. C. McKENNA, G. P. A.

Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Railway Company.
New Time Table, take effect Monday, May 25, 1885.

ROCHESTER DIVISION.

EASTWARD.			STATIONS.	WESTWARD.		
Acc	Mail	Exp	Eastern Time.	Mail	Exp	Acc
a.m.	p.m.	p.m.		a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
9 05	10 15	1 30	ar Rochester lv	7 40	5 30	6 [illegible]
8 52	9 44	1 00	Scottsville	7 [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
8 30	9 30	12 46	Mumford	7 42	[illegible]	[illegible]
8 00	9 09	12 23	Leroy	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7 38	8 46	12 01	Pavillion	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7 25	8 31	11 50	Wyoming	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
7 10	8 14	11 43	Warsaw	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6 55	7 52	11 21	Silver Lake Jun	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
a.m.	7 41	11 [illegible]	Gainesville	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	7 27	11 12	Pike	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	7 16	11 02	Bliss	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	6 44	10 23	Farmersville	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	6 30	10 [illegible]	Machias	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	6 10	9 [illegible]	Ashford	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	5 55	9 [illegible]	Ellicottville	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	5 40	9 15	Bradford Junc.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	5 30	9 00	lv Salamanca ar	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	5 15	9 [illegible]	Carrollton	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	5 00	8 45	Limestone	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	4 4[illegible]	8 25	ar Bradford lv	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	4 35	8 20	Custer City	[illegible]		
	4 10		Johnsonb'g Jun.	[illegible]		
	1 56		Ridgway	[illegible]		
	12 55		Little Toby	[illegible]		
	12 15		Brockwayville	[illegible]		
	11 47		Falls Creek	[illegible]		
	11 32		DuBois	[illegible]		
	10 43		Sykes	[illegible]		
	10 35		Big Run	[illegible]		
	10 [illegible]		Punxsutawney	[illegible]		
	9 [illegible]		lv Clarville ar	[illegible]		

BUFFALO DIVISION.

EASTWARD.			STATIONS	WESTWARD.	
Exp	Mail	Exp		Mail	Exp
a.m.	p.m.			a.m.	p.m.
10 45	6 45		Ar Buffalo Lv	6 00	5 12
			William St. Dep		
10 [illegible]	6 07		Orchard Park	[illegible]	5 27
9 [illegible]	5 52		West Falls	[illegible]	5 52
9 42	5 32		Golden	[illegible]	[illegible]
9 12	5 12		Springville	[illegible]	[illegible]
9 [illegible]	5 [illegible]		West Valley	[illegible]	[illegible]
a.m.	p.m.			a.m.	p.m.

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Tickets, time tables and full information can be procured at ticket office, N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. depot, Exchange street, Buffalo.

JAS. T. GARDNER, Gen'l Sup't. ISAIAH S. EMERY, Gen'l Pass'r Ag't.

COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY Railroad Time Table, takes effect Monday, Sept. 1, 1884.

Lv.	East'd.	STATIONS.	Lv West'd	
M	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.
[illegible]	1.30	Coudersport	[illegible]	4.50
[illegible]	1.20	[illegible]	[illegible]	4.05
[illegible]	12.55	Olmsted	[illegible]	4.13
[illegible]	12.50	Mina	[illegible]	4.15
[illegible]	12.35	Knowlton	[illegible]	4.24
[illegible]	12.30	Roulette	[illegible]	4.27
[illegible]	12.[illegible]	Pomeroy Bridge	[illegible]	4.33
[illegible]	12.[illegible]	Burtville	[illegible]	4.40
[illegible]	12.[illegible]	Silver Spring	[illegible]	4.51
[illegible]	12.12	Coleman	[illegible]	5.00
[illegible]	12.00	Port Allegany	[illegible]	5.05

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